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## TAFT ANXIOUS TO GET TEDDY'S PLAN

President Has Conference with Loeb and Roosevelt Plans to Meet Hughes

### SIGNIFICANCE IN MEETINGS

Far Reaching Results will Follow Sessions of the Republican Political Leaders

BEVERLY, Mass., July 11.—Wm. Loeb, Jr., is the administration candidate for governor of New York next fall. Following his conference with President Taft today he left for Manchester, N. H., to discuss the meeting. It was learned from an authoritative source, however, that President Taft had urged Loeb to return to New York and announce his candidacy and that the administrative support will be forthcoming.

BEVERLY, Mass., July 11.—President Taft is anxious to know just where Col. Roosevelt stands with regard to the conduct of the present administration; he was disappointed in being unable to extract that information from the colonel on his recent visit here and has now sent for an intimate mutual friend to fathom the mystery.

This is the construction placed here on the conference today between President Taft and Wm. Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York. Professedly, the talk was about "national politics."

Through the former secretary to ex-President Roosevelt, President Taft feels he can discover which way the wind blows at Oyster Bay. Friends of the administration would like to know the basis for statements by Roosevelt intimating that the colonel will not publicly endorse the treatment of "my policies" since March 4, 1909. Republican congressmen up for election this fall feel the greatest need of a key note. They want Roosevelt to sound the tocsin. Notwithstanding the plausible explanation of why the colonel determined to help out Senator Beveridge, an insurgent, in his candidacy for re-election—which was that the Indiana statesman declared that in the face of his previous promise to help Senator Lodge, a reactionary, Roosevelt ought to maintain an equilibrium by assisting a progressive—the administration supporters are fearful of a booby.

Collector Loeb arrived late last evening. He was in conference with the president for several hours, during the day and will leave for New York late this afternoon.

The president played golf today at the Myopia links with Henry Clay Frick.

Mrs. Taft and her guests, Mrs. Ray and Mrs. McCormick, were in Beverly this morning and Charlie launched his sailing dory, the Bandit. His fleet now consists of one power boat and sailing vessel.

Far Reaching Consequences.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Wm. Loeb Jr., in Beverly talking politics with President Taft and Col. Roosevelt at Oyster Bay getting ready to entertain Gov. Hughes for twenty-four hours, the political pot began today to boil merrily. Party leaders have professed to see in the meetings a connection which would have far reaching consequences. Loeb, it is said, has been getting in touch with political sentiment, not only in New York but all through the east and west.

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## KAISER ENTERS NICARAGUA BROIL

Endorsement of Madriz Is Taken as Throwing the Gauntlet Down to the United States

### SITUATION IS VERY ACUTE

Central American President Called "Great and Good Friend" by Emperor

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Persistent diplomatic opposition on the part of Germany against the policies of the United States today brought out a situation which is rapidly approaching the acute stage. The latest of the series of incidents to be disclosed is the recognition of the Madriz faction in Nicaragua by the kaiser in terms amounting to an encouragement of the Zelayan regime.

In an alleged personal letter dated April 26, the German emperor addressed Madriz as "great and good friend" and congratulated him on his election as president by the merited confidence of his fellow citizens.

Following is a copy of the communication which the state department is informed, was received by Madriz:

"Wilhelm, by the Grace of God, Emperor of Germany and King of Prussia, to the President of Nicaragua:

"Great and Good Friend: I am informed by your letter of the 27th of December of the year past that your excellency was elected president of the republic by the merited confidence of your fellow citizens and that your excellency entered upon your most honorable duties on the 21st of said month.

"I beg you to accept Mr. President, my congratulations on this event and be assured that also my government will endeavor to maintain and cultivate the best relations, which happily already exist between the German empire and the republic of Nicaragua.

"Extending to you thanks for your benevolent desires, I assure you of my best wishes for your personal welfare and for that of the republic of Nicaragua and for both my greatest respect.

"(Signed) WILHELM I."

The Difference of Opinion

Although it is within the prerogatives of the kaiser to recognize whatever government he chooses, his jumping into the Central American arena in this fashion at the present time is looked upon by some authorities as throwing down the gauntlet to the United States.

In the present instance there is a wide divergence between the opinions of Germany and the United States. Secretary Knox holds that Madriz has not been elected by his fellow citizens, according to the Nicaraguan constitution, despite the "merited confidence" referred to by the kaiser.

This action by the kaiser might be overlooked were it not for the unmistakable signs of German hostility to America manifested in connection with other incidents. The difficulty began with the legislation affecting American contracts with German producers.

The reichstag practically invalidated the contracts entered into by the individual mine owners with American manufacturers. Subsequently an adjustment was made modifying the effect of the stringent law.

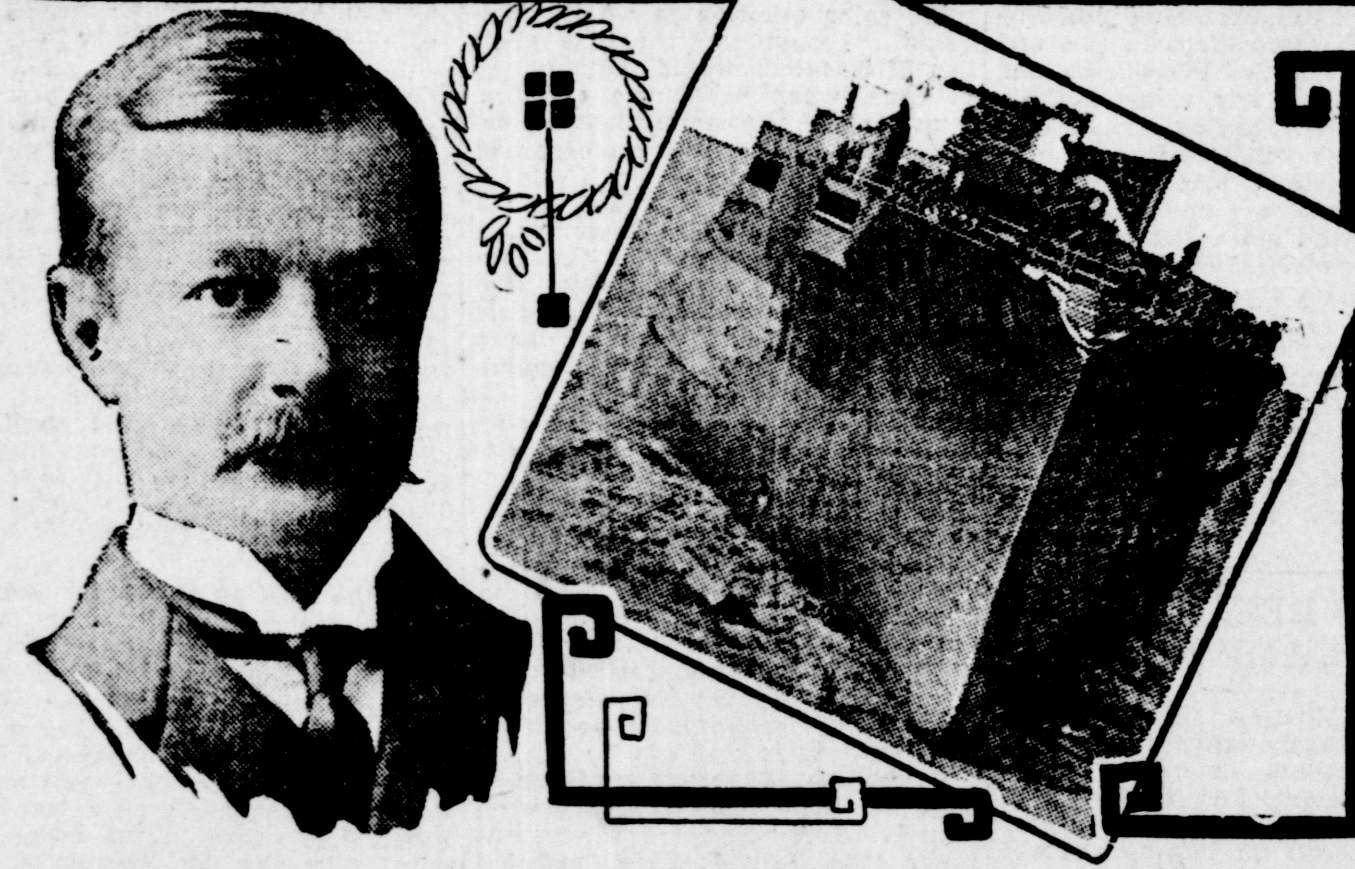
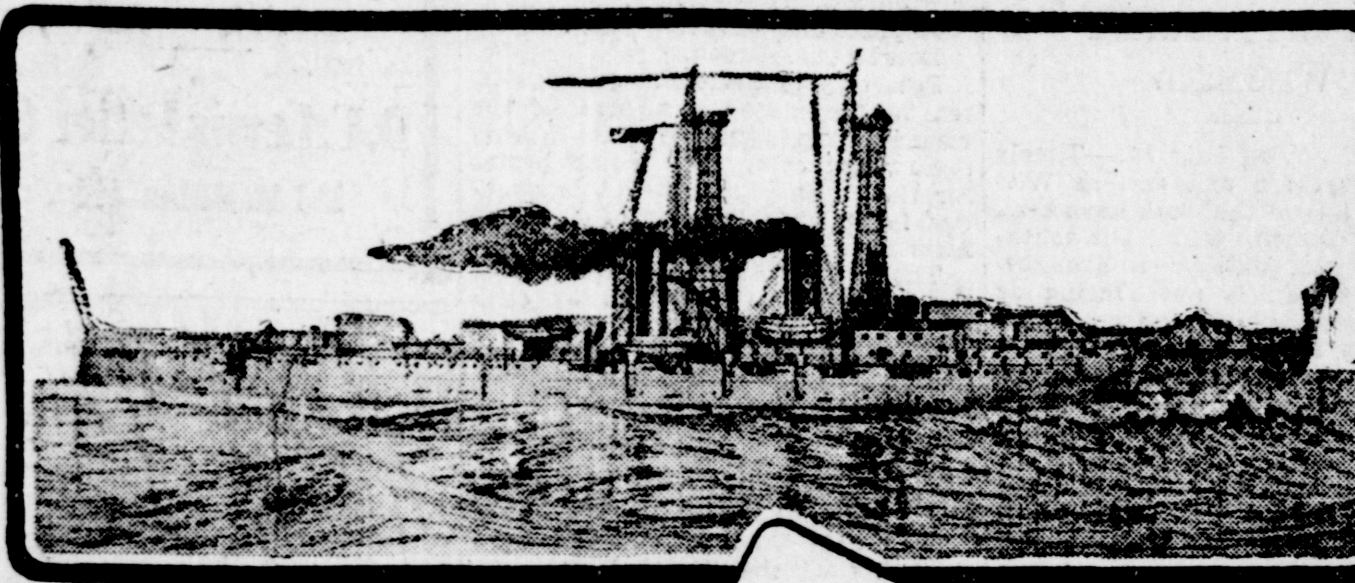
Exposition Abandoned

The second indictment was the abandonment of the German-American exposition in Berlin because of the hostility directed against the project by German manufacturers who feared an American invasion. The United States entered into this scheme with the best intent, to strengthen the friendly relations between the two countries and a commission representing this government was appointed. Shortly afterwards it was announced that the exposition had been postponed and recently it was abandoned altogether.

Direct hostility toward the American corporation which was negotiating with the Turkish government for a railroad concession involving expenditure of \$100,000,000 was manifested by Germany. The plan was approved by Turkish officials and Turkish parliament but on the eve of the success of the project the German ambassador at the porte interposed the objection that the proposed road would interfere with the German line to Bagdad and that it was in violation of Turkish mining laws.

The state department has maintained an attitude of reserve regarding these incidents as there is an earnest desire to prevent any clouding of the friendly relations existing between the two governments. The grave question today, however, is whether Germany propose to carry its anti-American diplomacy into the western hemisphere and extend it to Central American interference.

## DEFECTS IN ARMOR OF TWO NEW BATTLESHIPS SERIOUS



At the top, two of Uncle Sam's largest and latest battleships, the North Dakota (at top) and the Utah (at right). Secretary of Navy George Von L. Meyer.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Defects discovered in the armor of the battleships North Dakota and Utah are causing the navy no little concern and will cost someone about \$20,000. It was in determining who should pay this expense that the true state of affairs was made public. Representatives of the New York Ship Building company, the Midvale Steel company and government experts have been engaged in attempting to place the blame for the defective armor.

## COMMISSION HAS COMMUTERS' CASE

Rate Adjusting Board on the Job with Important Cases, while Others Loaf

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Though nearly all the cabinet officers and every other government official who can find an excuse have fled from the capitol before a steadily rising thermometer the interstate commerce commission is sticking bravely to the job and this week will hold some of the most important hearings in its history.

Tomorrow it begins an investigation into the increase of commutation rates proposed by railroads entering New York city. The new rates are to become effective July 20 and tomorrow's hearing is a preliminary "size up" by the commission to determine whether the rates seem reasonable.

On Thursday the commission will take up the case of the eastern and western trunk lines which have filed a freight tariff to become effective August 1. It is expected that in this case the commission will order a suspension pending its investigation into the entire rate question from the Atlantic seaboard to the Mississippi river.

This investigation is one of the broadest and most important ever conducted by the commission.

Experts are now at work for the commission gathering data. It will probably be several months before a decision is reached. The new power of suspension will prevent the application of increases during that period.

## SHOW PICTURES AT STAG THEATRES ONLY

NEW YORK, July 11.—Heeding the world wide clamor against the exhibition of the moving pictures of the Jeffries-Johnson fight, the affiliated companies controlling the films, announced that the pictures would be exhibited in "stag" theaters only and that children would be barred from attending. Women may attend if they see fit but they will be warned in advance of the character of the performance.

The Jeffries and Johnson corporation composed of nine moving picture concerns which have an interest in the fight films has refused large offers from roof gardens and others to be allowed to present the pictures.

## DISASTER AVERTED ON MISSOURI RIVER

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 11.—One hundred and twenty-five passengers of the steamer Cape Girardeau were rescued and landed safely late yesterday when the steamer sank in the Missouri river above St. Genevieve. No lives were lost.

Reports reaching here say that the steamer ran into a sunken government barge, but this has not been confirmed.

## KEEP DULUTH IN MINNY LEAGUE

Directors' Meeting Called for Tomorrow and Effort will Be Made to Retain the Club

President J. A. Elliott of the Minnesota-Wisconsin league this afternoon called a meeting of the league directors to be held at the St. Louis Hotel, Duluth tomorrow afternoon where an effort will be made to interest Duluth parties to retain the franchise of that club. This afternoon Mr. Elliott said: "There is no question but what other parties will take over the franchise. I find that the average daily attendance of the games there is 752 and this alone shows that the citizens want and support the game in the right style. As far as I can figure out, there must be some trouble between the directors or the officers of the club."

Mr. Elliott this afternoon received a dispatch from Duluth stating that the team would be held intact until after the league meeting. Then if they decide to lay down the directors will carry the club for a number of series. Another message from Secretary A. L. Kuehnow stated that he had severed his connections with the club about ten days ago. Mr. Elliott will leave this evening to be present at the meeting tomorrow.

President Elliott late yesterday afternoon received the following telegram from President John McGreevy of the Duluth club, "Understanding that Wausau, Rochester and Red Wing are ready to quit, we have decided to do likewise and will play the last game today. Don't send La Crosse club."

This morning Mr. Elliott stated that Red Wing's decision to remain in the league would change the matter greatly.

The report was confirmed this morning by a letter to Henry Rooney from Manager Safford in which he stated that the club was ready to disband and that several of the Duluth players had been offered to him.

## GIANTS PROTEST GAME

CHICAGO, July 11.—Manager McGraw of the Giants has protested the second game in the double header at Boston last Thursday. If the game is given to his team it would put the Giants in the lead.

## STRIKING GARMENT WORKERS WIN OUT

NEW YORK, July 11.—More than fifty firms, among them some of the biggest cloak manufacturers in the city, gave in to the strikers today. Others will do so at once and sign the union scale, according to Alexander Block, chairman of the executive board of the union.

## HAPPINESS AIM OF NEW CHURCH

Incorporators Abandon Old Ideas and will Live in Merrymaking and Sunshine

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—A new church of music, merriment and laughter, known as the church of happiness, incorporated by preachers and evangelists, will erect a building here shortly.

The incorporation papers show the object of the new religion: "The old hell of the old religion, its dancing imps in leather hides and hoofs, its catacombs of bones and dead hopes, its fumes of sulphur, is a thing of the past," the incorporators declare. "It was an idea adroitly employed to frighten people into the church."

"The new religion recognizes that crime is hated where there is mirth. Depravity flourishes in the shades of darkness. Music and merriment will be important elements in the religion of the future."

The new church is based on the teachings of Theodore Valint. It is said the movement is backed by wealthy and influential people. Members of the personal liberty league are also backing the movement. Happiness is the chief thing sought for. According to papers of incorporation, "there will be no blue laws in the religion of the future. In the good book it is related how God always brings happiness to his people by smiling upon them and such being the case we must establish a church to be directed on a new basis and with a new doctrine."

## MRS. GOULD WEDS SUGAR TRUST HEAD

NEW YORK, July 11.—Mrs. Helen Kelly Gould, divorced wife of Frank Jay Gould, and Ralph H. Thomas, son of the president of the sugar trust, were married this afternoon.

Great precautions had been taken by Mrs. Gould to ensure secrecy owing to a report that Frank Gould had engaged private detectives to secure possession of his three children.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas went to Mrs. Thomas' bungalow at Sands Point, L. I., where they will remain until tomorrow, when they will sail for Europe.

## LYNCHERS' MARKS ON VICTIM'S BODY

SPRINGFIELD, Ky., July 11.—The body of Carl M. Etherington, the anti-saloon league detective lynched by a mob at Newark, O., will be interred in the local cemetery this afternoon.

When the body arrived, Hartwell Etherington, the victim's father, ordered the casket opened. He took one glance at the remains and collapsed. The body showed plainly the marks of brutal treatment prior to the lynching. The mother of the youth is critically ill from the shock.

## MANY GOLFERS HERE FOR MEET

Delegations from Milwaukee, Madison, Sheboygan, Kenosha and Fond du Lac Here Today

### YULE CUP PLAY TOMORROW

Teams will Compete for the Handsomest Trophy of the State Tournament

About forty of the players who will participate in the state golf tournament which opens here tomorrow, are already in the city and most of them are spending the day before the opening at the Country club links in order to get accustomed to the grounds. Delegations from Milwaukee, Madison, Sheboygan, Kenosha and Fond du Lac have arrived, and many more are expected this afternoon, evening and tomorrow. There will be in the neighborhood of thirty players from Milwaukee. The Blue Mound club will enter as many. Most of the Milwaukee men arrived on the early morning train from the east. Jimmie Simpson of the Blue Mound club, Saturday broke the long distance driving record at Milwaukee getting two drives of 358 and 330 yards respectively.

In speaking of the tournament this morning Joseph Hixon said: "There are about forty men here now but they are spending the time practicing. More will arrive tonight and tomorrow. There is no special event this afternoon. Tomorrow we play for the Yule trophy this being the official opening of the tournament."

The local team which will compete for the Yule cup tomorrow is composed of F. P. Hixon, J. M. Hixon, E. J. Evans, R. D. Gordon and F. H. Hankerson. This cup is the largest and the most sought after trophy of the tournament. It is the donation of George Yule of Kenosha. Each member of the winning team will receive a medal watch fob. The present state champion is Dick Cavanaugh of Kenosha.

## 25,000,000 CAN'T SEE FIGHT FILMS

BOSTON, July 11.—The fight against the showing of the Jeffries-Johnson fight pictures has already led to the prohibition of their exhibition before 25,000,000 people, according to the estimates here today, by Wm. Shaw, secretary of the National Christian Endeavor body, who is leading the war against the films. He declares that statistics of the crusade against the pictures show the following areas which have prohibited the exhibition of the fight pictures:

Maine, Texas, Georgia, Virginia and District of Columbia, 9,000,000 population.

South Africa, 6,000,000 population; Cuba, 2,000,000 population; Province of Ontario, Canada, 2,500,000 population.

Total of forty cities in the U. S., 5,500,000.

CHICAGO, July 11.—Chief of Police Steward refused to say whether he would permit the production of the pictures here at that time but in view of the fact that he has not announced opposition to them as yet it is considered practically certain that he will not prohibit them.

CLEVELAND Bars Pictures

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 11.—Chief of Police Kohler today issued an order prohibiting the reproduction of the Jeffries-Johnson fight pictures in Cleveland.

England Allows Them

LONDON, July 11.—The moving pictures of the Jeffries-Johnson fight will be exhibited in England without interference on the part of the authorities, Home Secretary Winston Churchill announced today.

## JEFF MAY ISSUE CHALLENGE IN WEEK

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 11.—At the end of another week, James J. Jeffries will probably announce finally whether he will challenge Heavyweight Champion Jack Johnson for a return battle.

Jeffries will start this evening for Catalina for a week's fishing and during the week he will give careful consideration to the question of challenging. He admits he is still "on the fence," but declared today that his mind would be definitely made up by the time he returned from his fishing expedition.

## JUSTICE FULLER LEAVES MILLIONS

CHICAGO, July 11.—The will of the late Chief Justice Melville Weston Fuller of the supreme court of the United States, and of his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Fuller, who died several years ago, were filed in the probate court here today. Justice Fuller left an estate worth more than \$1,000,000 and his wife's property amounted to \$150,000. Both estates are divided equally among their eight children, seven daughters and one son.

## MILLMEN STRIKE HUNDRED MEN OUT

Employees of Segelke & Kohlhaus Company and E. Hackner Quit This Morning

### ASK FOR INCREASE IN PAY

Also Want a Nine Hour Day which Is Denied Them by Employers; May Reach Settlement

About a hundred millmen, employed in the two factories of the Segelke & Kohlhaus Manufacturing company and E. Hackner, went out on a strike this morning because, the men claim, the employers decline to grant their demands. The men who have walked out are all members of the local union, No. 1308.

Negotiations have been going on for the past week and the men have been making an effort, it is said, to reach a settlement without going on a strike. The demand made is for an increase of five cents per hour and a reduction in the number of hours from ten to nine. A committee representing the union called upon Secretary Ott of the Segelke & Kohlhaus Manufacturing company, but they were informed that in view of the fact that a 10 per cent increase had been granted this spring, no further raise could be given at this time. The men claim that this increase only affected about 40 per cent of the men. This morning the committee of union men again met with Mr. Ott but no agreement was reached.

International Organizer Phil Carlin of Minneapolis is in the city and this afternoon is holding a conference with the men at Centennial hall.

Mr. Ott when seen regarding the trouble today said he had nothing to give out because no agreement had been reached. He said the committee met with him this morning and during that time the men walked out.

E. Hackner said he had not been informed of an organized strike at his plant. He said some of his men are not working today, having asked for a day off. He further said that the committee had not called upon him, but some of his men asked him what he could do for them and he told them that at present he could not afford to increase their wages.

## KILLS HIGHWAYMAN WHO CONFRONTS HIM

CHICAGO, July 11.—One highwayman is dead and the police are hunting another today after an encounter between Elmer Cooper, a young salesman, and two robbers.

Cooper had been visiting Miss Katherine Rush, whose home is in a fashionable neighborhood, and departed at 10 o'clock last night. As he passed a dark alleyway near the girl's home two men attempted to hold him up. Cooper had been held up once before in the same neighborhood and last night he was armed. He shot and killed one of the men, but the other escaped. Gilbert Gordon, who had been robbed earlier in the evening, identified the dead man as one of the two who held him up. Cooper was not arrested.

## WEATHER AND WATER



Coldest in La Crosse, 54; warmest, 84; wind, 8 miles an hour, precipitation, 0.

Forecast till 7 p. m. Tuesday. For La Crosse and vicinity: showers tonight or Tuesday; cooler Tuesday.

For Wisconsin: Showers tonight or Tuesday; cooler Tuesday.

For Minnesota: Partly cloudy with showers east portion tonight or Tuesday; cooler east portion tonight.

For Iowa: Showers tonight or Tuesday; cooler Tuesday and north-west portion tonight.

River Forecast

The river stages will not change materially during the next 48 hours.

Stage of water:	Stage Change
St. Paul	0.9 Fall 0.3
Reeds Landing	0.2 Fall 0.1
La Crosse	0.3 0.0
Prairie du Chien	0.6 Fall 0.2

## A Traveling Salesman

calls upon a half dozen customers each day and tells his story. This costs a business house from \$5 to \$10.

The newspaper advertisement goes to several thousand people each day and tells its story for less money.

As it would not be practicable for you to employ a traveling salesman to call upon each retail customer, why not employ the "silent newspaper salesman," which is within everybody's reach?

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**\$1.79** for Wash Suits sold up  
to \$6.00.

**\$3.48** for Wash Suits sold up  
to \$12.00.

### WASH DRESSES

**\$1.97** for Wash Dresses sold  
up to \$6.00.

**\$2.39** for Wash Dresses sold  
up to \$8.00.

### SON OF VIROQUA MINISTER WEDS

Dr. Walter Nuzum of Spokane, Wash., and Miss Martha Killien of Baraboo were united in marriage at her home, Rev. I. F. Nuzum of this city performing the ceremony. Only the immediate relatives were present. The couple came here for a brief visit before leaving for Spokane, where the groom has built up a good law practice, during his four months' stay. They will go to housekeeping in September.

A trip that would bring the greatest exhaustion to even a well man, was made by R. J. Bryan, who arrived here from Wales. In his precarious condition the trip was a hard one, and but for his strong constitution he would never have stood it. At the Canadian line the authorities took him bodily away from his companions, Rev. C. E. Butters and Benj. Williams of this city, and they were obliged to swear by the Bible that Mr. Bryan was a property holder and a resident of the United States, before the authorities would allow the party to board the train, which was held fifteen minutes. Mr. Bryan was unable to procure a sleeper, and had to be held up in his seat by his companions.

Mrs. Hazel Gorsline Koehler, formerly a Viroqua girl, has become the mother of twin girls at her home in Chicago. The combined weight of the babies is thirteen pounds.

The dry weather is affecting crops in this vicinity to a large extent, and farmers feel rather gloomy over the prospects.

The city treasurer's report for June shows a balance of \$4,905.72 in the hands of the treasurer.

With great pleasure, the citizens of Viroqua welcomed Rev. C. E. Butters home yesterday. He is thin after his long illness, and is glad indeed to be at home.

Tom Christoferson and mother were called to Tunnel City by the illness of a sister and daughter. They returned home, but the lady passed away after their departure.

Wm. Rummels of Des Moines, Ia., is a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baldwin.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Baldwin went to Montezuma, Iowa, to visit her mother.

Andrew Baldwin and Oscar Bosshard visited at De Soto.

Oscar Bosshard was a guest of his mother at Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bosshard and two children returned home to Mattoon, after a visit with the lady's father. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baldwin.

Lawrence Lindemann, Walter Kuebler, Roland Chase, Lyle Twin-

ing, Edwin Kuehn and Ernest Otson went to Camp Tate, near Coon Valley, to camp. They are chaperoned by the grandfather of Ben Twining.

Miss Margaret Drinkwine of Sparta and Miss Frances Older of Springfield are guests at the Claude Seeley home here.

Nels T. Nelson will erect a new residence on his farm near this city. Democratic county convention.

At the democratic county convention, held at the court on Saturday, the following delegates to the state convention at Milwaukee, were elected: Capt. H. Conner, W. N. Catland, Dr. H. J. Suttle, C. W. Graves, G. B. Fisher, Jens Davidson, R. P. Balton and Henry Shefton. The following alternates were elected: W. E. Butt, Robert Rogerson, Louis Monti, Chris Hauge, O. A. Unseth, Chas. De Jean, Arthur McCall, Franz Fettered. The delegates are to cast a full vote at the convention in case of any delegate absent.

### PASTOR AND FAMILY TAKE A VACATION

Mrs. W. P. Cunningham and children leave today for Chicago, her mothers home. They will also visit in Indiana and Michigan with relatives, remaining away until conference time, which will determine whether Mr. Cunningham remains in La Crosse or goes elsewhere. Mr. Cunningham will accompany them as far as Williams Bay, or Lake Geneva, where he will remain in the Y. M. C. A. camp for two weeks, returning to Viroqua for the camp meeting to be held at that place commencing July 29. Having finished the census work ahead of schedule and having donated three months' salary to the West Avenue M. E. church, he is enabled to take this vacation without expense to the church.

During his absence for three Sundays, the pulpit will be supplied July 17 by Mr. A. C. Gran, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and upon July 24 and 31 by Rev. G. B. Caple. During August the pastor expects to preach morning and evening until conference.

### FUNERAL OF MRS. MONROE TUESDAY

The funeral of Mrs. Ella Clarke Monroe, who died Saturday evening, will be held at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the funeral rooms of Tillman Bros., undertakers, 111 South Third street.

Don't laugh at poor old Jeffries; you've had many a whipping yourself.

Beare the Signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

**GASTORIA** For Infants and Children.

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### WISCONSIN NEWS

### CROPS BENEFITED IN MANY SECTIONS

Rains of Saturday Do Considerable Good in Eastern and Northern Wisconsin

MADISON, Wis., July 11.—Timely rains in northern and eastern Wisconsin the last of the week have been the saving of many crops, but southern Wisconsin, still in a drought-stricken district, is not faring so well. This summary of the crop conditions was made by Prof. R. A. Moore, the university's crop expert. Rains predicted for Saturday night and Sunday did not come, and farmers in this section are disheartened. "The tobacco crop is a great loss here," said Prof. Moore, "and will be even though rain comes. The plants have been in so long that it is now too late to be benefited much by rains. Small grain crops in this section, also, are much reduced, and will be despite any rainy weather that may come. They have ripened so fast that they will lose their plumpness. The yield is pretty fair, however. Potatoes have suffered in this section of the state but rains will help late plantings exceedingly. "The alfalfa crop is good. At the university farm we have already made the second cutting. Old hayfields are about half a crop, but new seedings are exceptionally fine, clover especially. "In the northern and central sections of the state, potatoes, corn and small grains have suffered the most."

### SECOND REGIMENT AT CAMP DOUGLAS

CAMP DOUGLAS, Wis., July 11.—Six regular army officers and three regular sergeants on duty with the Second regiment, and another officer to arrive for the two regiments to follow, shows the interest the war department is taking in the Badger troops this year. Gen. Charles King is again inspector with Lieut. Dixon, a graduate of West Point, as aide. Capt. Westcott with the First battalion, and Capt. Anvel with the Second, and Justice with the Third.

### QUEUES OF DEAD CHINESE FOR "RATS"

NEW YORK, July 11.—There has been enough punk and joss sticks burned in the joss houses in Mott street today to drive away all the mosquitoes in New Jersey. The quarter still reeks with incense, for when the British freight steamer Inveric arrived from Hong Kong, her crew of coolies came ashore like rats and made for the joss houses to give thanks for having escaped from the fiery monster. The English officers of the ship say the "fiery monster" was only Halley's comet, but that the Chinese thought it was the wrath of the gods sent to destroy them because the hold of the vessel was loaded with several hundred thousand queues of their dead brethren, being brought to America to be made into "rats" for American women.

### AIR NAVIGATION CO. INCORPORATES

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., July 11.—F. A. Seifert, representing the Universal Aerial Navigation company, has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state for the rights of manufacturing, patenting and operating airships for carrying passengers or freight.

The Universal company is an American corporation, capitalized at \$5,000,000, of which \$50,000 is to be used in promoting the business in Missouri.

### EXILED SPANIARDS TO RETURN ARMED

CERET, France, July 11.—Five thousand revolutionists, exiled from Spain for participation in former uprisings, met today and demanded the right to re-enter Spain to celebrate last July's armed revolution. Incendiary speeches were made and it was decided to cross the frontier under arms, if Senor Canalejas, the premier, refused to grant the necessary permits.

### JACK JOHNSON IS DEAD; NOT A PUG

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Jack Johnson, colored, died here today of the heat. When the news first got around there was great excitement among the negro population but it was soon explained that the deceased was not the hero of Reno.

### RUSSIAN RELEASED

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Anatoly Valadief, the Russian who has been in jail in Hawaii under the charge of being an anarchist, has been released on the order of Acting Secretary of Commerce and Labor Cable.

Valadief was arrested shortly after he had supplied information to President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, that the immigration officials of Hawaii were responsible for a peonage system in the islands through the admission of undesirable aliens.

Gompers took up the case of Valadief claiming that the Hawaiian officials had trumped up a charge against Valadief and thrown him into jail, merely to suppress the criticism of their actions.

### COLOR OF BALLOT IS IMMATERIAL

This Seems to be the Opinion of the Chairman Regarding Dunn Ballot

Socialists—Red.  
Prohibitionists—White.  
Republicans—Blue.  
Democrats—Green.  
Secretary of State Frear has written to the state chairmen of the various parties in the state asking them what color they would prefer for the Dunn pocket ballot in counties in which this style of ballot is determined upon.

The law makes no provision for the color to be selected by each party.

"I haven't given the matter any thought," said Joseph E. Davies, the Democratic chairman. "I could not say at this time what color would be acceptable."

"The question of color is not one that we shall worry very much about," said Victor L. Berger, state chairman of the Social Democrats. "The color question is wholly incidental. I suppose that the great run of Socialists would think of red at once, when asked the question. I understand the matter may be determined by ballot at a conference of the state chairmen."

"We would prefer white, and I shall so inform Mr. Frear," said Chairman J. B. Smith of the Prohibitionists. "I should say that probably the Social Democrats would want red. Black ought to be a pretty good color for the Republicans and Democrats."

Green and blue have been suggested for the Democrats and Republicans, respectively.

### GOVERNMENT GIVES OUT CROP CONDITION

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 9.—The department of agriculture this afternoon issued the following summary of the crop report on conditions on July 1:

"The general average condition of crop growth in the United States on July 1, 1910, was about 5 per cent lower than July 1, 1909, and 3.6 per cent lower than the ten year average condition on July 1.

"In the New England states condition is 3.5 per cent better than a year ago, and 4.1 per cent above the average.

"In the southern states conditions are about 3.5 per cent better than on July 1, 1909, an d2.4 per cent above the ten year average; in the north central states, west of the Mississippi river, 15 per cent lower than a year ago and 12.2 per cent below the average; in the far western states 3.6 per cent below a year ago and 1.3 per cent below the average."

### KERMIT ROOSEVELT MAY WED WEALTH

HOBOKEN, N. J., July 11.—Kermit Roosevelt, second son of the colonel, who accompanied his father on his famous African hunting trip, sailed on the steamer Amerika today for Europe, where he expects to continue his education and make up for the time lost in Africa.

There was a rumor in New York that the real attraction that took the former president's son abroad was the fascinating Miss Margaret Rutherford, eldest daughter of Mrs. Wm. K. Vanderbilt, a noted heiress, and beauty, to whom he was devoted while he and his father were in France.

Kermit Denies It  
When asked about the widely circulated rumor that the reason for his visit to Paris is the presence there of Miss Margaret Rutherford, he became angry:

"I have never had the pleasure of meeting Miss Rutherford," he said.

### ROOSEVELT WILL SAVE INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 11.—That 10,000 votes for the republican state and congressional tickets next fall will be the product of Theodore Roosevelt's participation in the Indiana campaign, is the opinion today of candidates and party leaders.

"Roosevelt's coming will do much for the party," said Attorney General James Bingham. "He is popular in Indiana and a speech by him during the campaign will create old time enthusiasm and mean at least 10,000 additional votes for the republican ticket."

"If Col. Roosevelt should make several speeches, republicans would carry the state by 50,000. One speech in Indianapolis will insure the state legislature," said a state legislator.

### I. O. O. F. GIVES SOCIABLE

Normanna lodge 260 I. O. F. will give an ice cream sociable at the home of O'le World, 14th and Jackson streets July 13th, during the evening.

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### SPARTA, WIS.

The plant and business of the Sparta Brush Co., have been sold by Receiver Frank Kern to Messrs. J. A. and M. A. Clarkson, and W. A. Frisch of St. Charles, Minn., who will continue the business under the old name. The present working force will be retained.

County Superintendent M. M. Haney has completed the arrangements for summer school and institute to be held here this summer. The summer school will open in the High school building July 18, with a probable attendance of 80 or 100, lasting two weeks. The instructors secured are Supt. Haney, F. C. Bray of Cashton; F. M. Bray of Tomah, and Prof. W. McNeel, formerly of Tomah. After summer school, one week of institute will follow. The instructors will include the above of Prof. McNeel, and in addition there will be A. A. Thompson of Richland Center, and Edna Mae Sewell, formerly of Sparta.

At the meeting of the fire and the police commission held this week, J. H. Hoffman was appointed chief of the firemen and E. I. Waring, chief of the police force. Other members of the police force are Eugene Sullivan, day policeman, Daniel McKeegan night policeman, Pearl Wilcox, night policeman and Albert Lee police in the depot district. The eligible firemen chosen by the chief are: W. H. Baldwin, Cal Ransopher, Clinton Hubbard, George Strait, Ertman Kowitz Frank Van Kirk, W. P. Dalaba, F. A.

Baldwin, Oscar Gustad, Will Tourville, A. E. Blackman Chas. Stevenson and Robert Lanham.

The annual meeting of school district No. 1, was held Tuesday night and Dr. Carl Beebe was elected as a member of the school board in place of Dr. F. P. Stiles, whose term expired this year. It was voted to erect a two room brick school building in the third ward, and the amount of \$5,500 was authorized for this purpose. A resolution was passed to change the course of study, adding to the course already in use, work in manual training, domestic science, agriculture and theory of teaching. The board was also authorized to purchase the property north of the ward school for the use of the manual training department. It was also decided to open school on August 29th and continue for nine and one-half months.

Maude Taylor of this city went to Tomah Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Pearl Eaton.

Mrs. A. T. Mauer of New Haven, Conn., is in the city visiting her old college chum, Miss Laura Dixon.

Miss Stella Nesting has resigned her position as clerk in the Dodge & Davis department store and has returned to her home in Westby.

Mrs. Horwell is enjoying a few days vacation from her duties in the offices of Drs. Saries Beebe & Beebe, and is spending her vacation with relatives in West Salem.

Harry Sheffer returned to his home in this city for a short visit, after which he will return to his work in Montana.

Miss Ethel Williams has returned to her home in this city after completing a course in music in the New England conservatory at Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Theison made a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaller while enroute to Creighton, Montana.

Carl and Earl Jones who are employed in Minneapolis came home for a short visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jones.

Mrs. Haskins who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Pat Madden has returned to her home in Dakota.

Aaron Jackson of Hamilton, Mo., is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster and son Gerald left Saturday for a weeks stay in Milwaukee. Mr. Foster will attend the convention of photographers.

Miss Elsa Baldwin left for Aldrich, Missouri, where she will make her home in the future with an aunt.

Col. Geo. B. Kemp, who has been

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spending several months with relatives in this city, has returned to his home in Watertown, N. Y. Miss Blanche Morrison, who has been teaching school in Milwaukee for the past year has returned to her home in this city.

### EXPECT RATES TO BE SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—A general suspension of proposed freight rate increases is expected to be ordered when the interstate commerce commission meets tomorrow. "While the 'conservative' use of the new power of suspension is to be the general rule, according to a recent announcement from Beverly, it is learned that the commission has decided to make an exhaustive investigation of the alleged need for higher rates. The commission has the power to suspend the rates for ten months but it is believed that not more than two or three months will be required for the investigations.

Rates which were to have been effective August 1, affect every section of the country. All will be under consideration next week and there is ground today for the belief that the sweeping order of suspension will be issued.

### HUGHES VISITS ROOSEVELT

ALBANY, N. Y., July 11.—Gov. Hughes announced Saturday that he would be the guest of Col. Roosevelt at Oyster Bay tomorrow evening. The date was fixed by Roosevelt in a letter.

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Every writer here named has something to say, in either the form of FACT or FICTION, that you want to read about. President Diaz and General Miles can tell you more about the history of North America, as they were actively engaged in the making of it, than any two living men—and they can tell it as only a man can tell a story who has lived it.

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**Frank H. Burgess**  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirtieth day of June 1910.

**A. E. BLECKMAN,**  
Notary Public.

**WATER AND DIVIDENDS**

Following is a brief dissertation upon the gentle art of stock watering as practiced by the railroads, found in the columns of an eastern contemporary:

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stocks it is impossible to say whether rates, in the mass, are reasonable, for the only measure of the reasonableness of rates is found in the return which they yield upon the legitimate investment. Moreover, stock-watering is frequently a means to stock-market thimble-rigging.

The analysis is keen and to the point, and the discussion will be of peculiar interest in Wisconsin where the La Follette amendment providing for the physical valuation of railroads makes possible an accurate estimate of actual capital invested, and therefore of proper earnings. That despite its endorsement by the interstate commerce commission the La Follette physical valuation amendment to the Taft railroad bill was killed is ample evidence that the railroads are not without representation in the congress of the United States of America.

#### AN UNJUST THOUGHT

"We cannot," says the Saturday Evening Post, "echo Senator Lorimer's lament that party ties in his state have relaxed to a great degree. Illinois' interest in the tariff, for example, is precisely the same as the interest of Indiana on the east, Iowa on the west and Wisconsin on the north; but she had nobody in the upper house of congress to represent that interest and not many in the lower house. What would happen in Illinois if the senate should, upon investigation of the bribery charges, declare Mr. Lorimer's seat vacant? What would be the chance of electing as his successor—as fellow to Beveridge, Dolliver, Cummins, Bristow, La Follette—a free man, representing the people, whether he called himself a republican or a democrat, as against the chance that the two party machines, working in loyal bipartisan harmony, would put over a candidate duly tied to the interests that they equally represent? We should dearly like to see a powerful outburst of insurgency in Illinois—justifying the junior Senator's lament."

The above was evidently written before Senator Lorimer's "exoneration" by the disagreement of a jury that stood eight to four for the conviction of Lee O'Neill Browne, the alleged go-between charged with having fraudulently procured the senator's election. Had the Post been aware of his "vindication," it could not have questioned the legality of his victory or spoken lightly of his political methods.

#### A CITIZEN PROTESTS

La Crosse, Wis., July 10, 1910. To the Editor La Crosse Tribune: In an article appearing in The Tribune July 5th, Harvey Dee Brown gives some good advice regarding dusty streets, etc., as they affect public health. What he says is very true, but it is not all of the truth about unsanitary conditions in La Crosse. There are numerous outside closets in the southern portion of the city from which emanate nauseating stenches endangering the health of our citizens. Where is our health officer? Why does he not attend to these conditions? Is this not a part of his duty?

Why is the law compelling residents to make sewer connections where sewers have been laid not enforced? This talk about building a sanitarium to prevent tuberculosis and safeguard against disease is well enough but start at the root of the evil! Year after year we go to heavy expense building and laying sewers, but a very few make connections. If we have such a law, enforce it! Use all alike and make no exceptions: have no pets, but give us a healthy city.

A SUBSCRIBER

#### GAY'S MILLS, WIS.

Sperry George and family of McGregor, Iowa, are visiting at the Henry George home.

Mrs. D. F. Reynolds returned home Wednesday from a two weeks visit with the Guist family at Brookfield, Wis.

Charley Kenneson spent Sunday with friends at Stony Point.

Mrs. James Kane and children of Milwaukee are visiting at the Charley Thomson home.

Mrs. Frank Lewis and daughter Francis, visited friends at Viroqua last week.

Sam Martner and wife spent Sunday and Monday at the Briggs house.

R. H. Collins and wife were Soldier Grove visitors Monday.

Mrs. Clark Romds visited at Mt. Sterling Wednesday of last week.

Bertha Bacon is employed at George Brown's.

Jim Holmes and family spent Sunday at the Ed Jackson home on Howe Ridge.

Mrs. Vina Bacon and daughter Alice spent the Sabbath at Soldiers Grove.

The new Catholic church at Rolling Ground was dedicated July 6th. A large crowd was in attendance.

Mrs. George Hillman and little son of Milwaukee, are visiting at the Rob. Boland home near Mt. Sterling.

USE ONLY BEST FILMS

CHICAGO, July 11.—Moving picture films of the Jeffries-Johnson fight which were taken and developed by a local concern were sent to New York today where they will be compared with those developed there and a decision made as to which shall be used for exhibition. Three sets of films were made at the ringside and only the best set will be used.

#### Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

##### An Earnest Invocation

The president has done his best To put his measure through, To give us confidence again And clear the outlook blue; Now hurry, Mr. Cotton Crop, It's Up To You!

The financiers have done their best To tell us what to do If we would have prosperity And good old times anew; So, Mr. Corn Crop, bump yourself, It's Up To You!

The congressmen have all gone home, A billion dollar crew, But how to make our two ends meet They never have a clue; So, Mr. Wheat Crop, grow apace, It's Up To You!

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"It's a mystery story!" "What's the mystery?" "The fact that anybody consented to publish it."—Washington Star

##### An Omission

Nervous and inexperienced Host (rising hurriedly at the conclusion of a song)—Ladies and gentlemen, before he started to sing, Mr. Bawnall asked me to apologize for her—er—voice, but I—er—omitted to do so—er—so I—er—apologize now!—London Opinion.

##### A Welcome Exception

"Why do you consider that man so desirable as a dinner guest?" "He's one of the few people of our acquaintance who don't insist on having light meat when a fowl is carved."—Washington Star.

##### Envy

"Some of the lower animals are greatly favored," said the student. "Yes," replied young Mrs. Torkins. "Just think of being presented by nature, free of charge, with a moth-proof fur coat!"—Washington Star.

#### TRAVELING AND DRIVING COAT

This is a sort of splendid, all-enveloping coat that gives special comfort to the woman who lives in the suburbs and must often wear pretty evening frocks on the train. The loose, raglan garment covers up everything beneath it without being snug enough to crumple chiffon or other delicate trimmings. The model

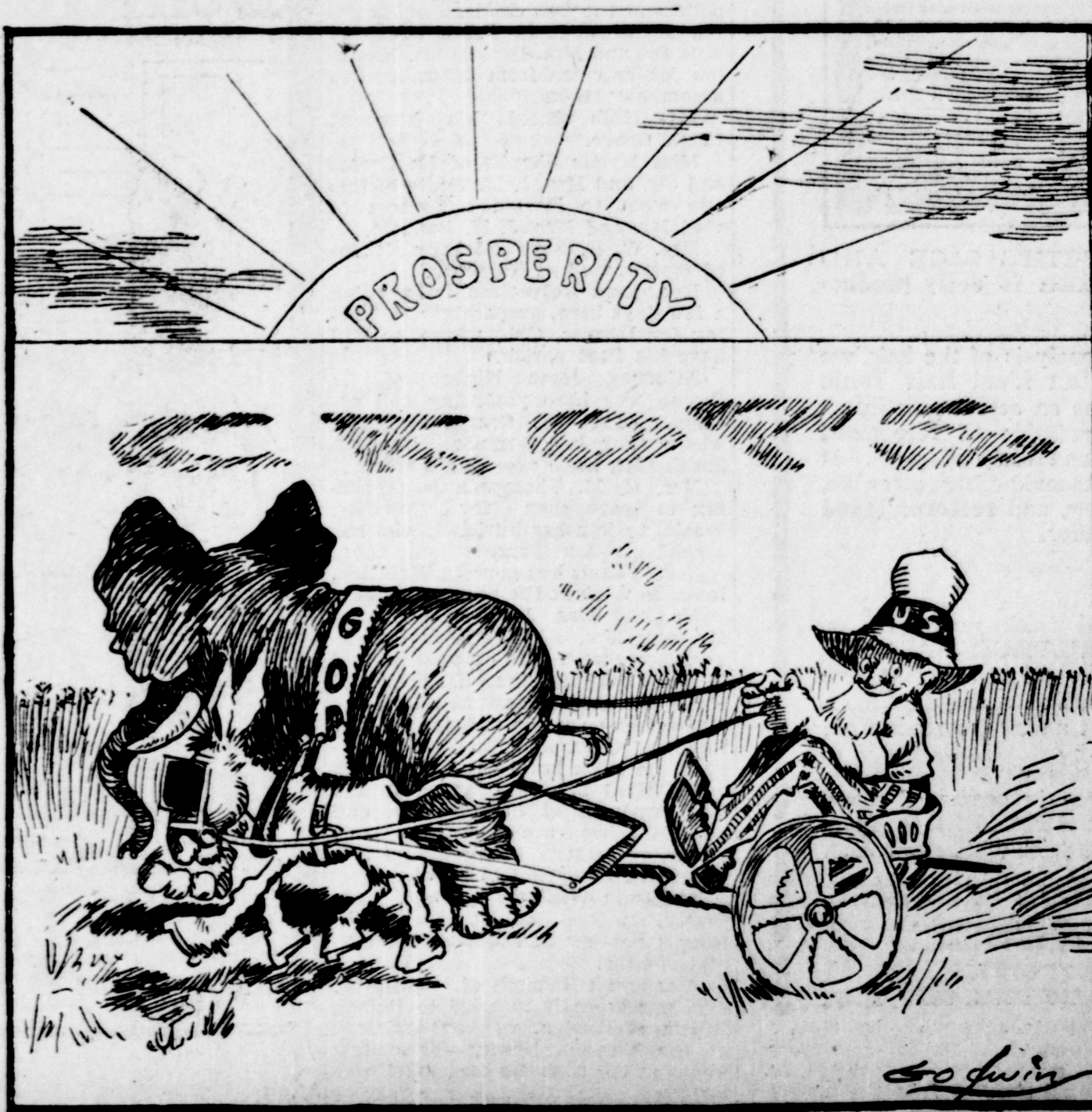


is made of lightweight blue serge, and is extremely simple in style, with seamless shoulder effect and pleats set in below the stitched belt to make fullness around the feet. At the neck is a bit of bright oriental embroidery, and the big, flat buttons of gum-metal are another cheerful touch.

##### A BOY'S HOLIDAYS

The ardent controversy which has been waged in England and America concerning the best way to dispose of school boys in the long summer vacation has prompted the Grand Trunk Railway System to issue a special publication giving suggestions and practical hints to parents as to what to do with the school boy during the months of July and August. The vacation camp is one of the solutions and the publication entitled "What Shall a Boy Do With His Vacation?" thoroughly covers the ground. A copy may be obtained for the asking by applying to H. G. Elliott, 917 Merchants Loan and Trust Bldg., Chicago.

#### PULLING TOGETHER



#### GOOSE GIRL

By HAROLD MCGRATH  
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"I have resigned the consulship." "And for what reason?" Carmichael silently drew on his coat.

"Ach! So you have one, too?" "One what?" "One secret."

"Yes. But it's the kind we can't talk about."

"I understand. Have you had breakfast?" "No."

"Neither have I. Let us go together. It may be we need each other's company this morning. You and I won't have to bother about talking."

"You make a good comrade, Hans."

There was a large crowd outside the palace that night, which was clear and starry. A troop of cavalry patrolled the fence. Carriage after carriage rolled in through the gates, coming directly from the opera. It was eleven o'clock. All the great in the duchy were on hand that night. Often a cheer rose from the ranks of the outsiders as some popular general or some famous beauty passed. It was an orderly crowd, jostling and good natured, hild only by curiosity. Every window in the palace presented a glowing square of light; and beams criss-crossed the emerald lawns and died in the arms of the lurking shadows. The gardens were illuminated besides. It was fairy-land, paid for by those who were not entitled to enter. Few, however, thought of this inconsistency. A duchy is a duchy; nothing more need be said.

Carmichael was naturally democratic. To ride a block in a carriage was to him a waste of time. And he rather liked to shoulder into a press. With the aid of his cane and a frequent push of the elbow he worked his way to the gates. And close by the sentry-box he saw Gretchen and her vintner. Carmichael could not resist stopping a moment. He raised his hat to Gretchen, to the wonder of those nearest. The vintner would have disappeared, but the human wall behind made this impossible. But he was needlessly alarmed. Carmichael only smiled ironically.

"Do you know where the American consulate is?" he asked low, so that none but Gretchen and the vintner heard.

"Yes," said the vintner, blushing with shame. "I live above the agency."

"Good! I shall expect to see you in the morning."

But the vintner was determined that he shouldn't. He would be at work in the royal vineyards on the morrow.

"Tomorrow?" repeated Gretchen, to whom this by-play was a blank. "Why should he wish to see you?"

"Who knows? Let us be going. They are pressing us too close to the gates."

"Very well," acquiesced Gretchen, somewhat disappointed. She wanted to see all there was to be seen.

"It is half after ten," he added, as if to put forward some logical excuse for leaving at this moment.

A man followed them all the way to the Krumerweg.

Carmichael threw himself eagerly into the gaiety of the dance. Never had he seen the ball-room so brilliant with color. Among all those there his was the one sombre dress. The white cambric stock and the frill in his shirt were the only gay touches. It was not his fault; the rules of the service compelled him thus to dress. But he needed no brass or cloth of gold. There was not a male head among all the others to compare with his.

#### UNEQUALED FOR BAD BLOOD

Normal, healthy blood contains millions of tiny red corpuscles, which are the vitalizing and nourishing element of the circulation. These corpuscles are constantly forming in healthy systems by the extraction of nutriment from food eaten, and this nourishment is then supplied through the circulation to every portion of the system. Any system which does not receive the proper amount of blood nourishment is not prepared to withstand the countless disorders that assail it. Bad blood can not nourish the body, the circulation must be pure, rich and strong if we would enjoy good health. Bad blood manifests itself in various ways. With some it takes the form of skin diseases and eruptions, others become bilious and malarious, with shallow complexion, torpid liver, etc. If the germs and impurities in the blood are of a more violent nature than bad blood becomes more serious and produces Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, and like troubles. Nothing equals S. S. S. for bad blood. It is Nature's own blood purifier, made from roots, herbs and barks. It goes into the circulation and removes every impurity or poison, strengthens and enriches the blood, and in this way supplies the body with the proper amount of nourishment to maintain good health. S. S. S. is likewise the finest of all tonics and while purifying the blood builds up every portion of the system. S. S. S. cures every ailment coming from bad blood, and it does so simply because it purifies the circulation. Book on the blood sent free to all who write.

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#### PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robb and family of Spooner, Wis., former residents here, passed through here Wednesday enroute to Gays Mill, where they have relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Case were passengers on the "Eclipse" Thursday morning for Dubuque, where they will spend a few days at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Carl Zebrecht.

Mrs. Anne Walker left this week to spend the summer with her son LeRoy on his homestead near Terry, Mont. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Pearl Pratt of La Crosse. Hon. O. C. Munson, editor of the Vernon County Censor, was in the city this week to attend the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Prairie du Chien.

The Congregational Ladies' Industrial society was entertained on Thursday by Mrs. J. E. Harris. The Zion church and society will meet at the home of Mrs. Philip Steiner next Thursday afternoon, July 4.

Carpenters are at work making improvements to the H. A. Beech residence on Michigan street.

Mrs. W. T. Pinkerton and her daughters Agnes and Harriet leave next week for a lake trip from Milwaukee to Mackinac Island and Duluth.

Will Shephard, son of Rev. and Mrs. William Shephard, who teaches in a Minneapolis high school, has a position as instructor in mathematics in the summer school of the La Crosse normal.

The village of Steuben will soon hold a special election to vote upon the project of issuing bonds to provide for street improvements.

Mrs. Poohle of Guttenberg is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. W. Fallis. Lawrence Case left Friday for an eastern trip, including New York and New Hampshire.

Archie Caya left this week for Quebec, Canada, after spending a month's vacation at home.

#### LEANING TOWER OF PISA IS FALLING

PISA, Italy, July 11.—The royal engineers appointed to investigate the condition of the famous leaning tower of Pisa reported today that the inclination from the perpendicular has recently increased eight inches, owing to the weakness of the foundation. The engineers declare the historic old tower is on the verge of a collapse and that it is extremely doubtful if it can be repaired.

The ringing of the bells in the tower has been ordered stopped because the vibrations thus caused threatened to throw down the structure.

The Campanile, or leaning tower, was erected in 1174-1350. It was on this structure that Galileo worked out the theory of the pendulum.

#### L. C. COLMAN IS NAMED DELEGATE



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### NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Bert Nelson of the Nelson Clothing Company, left Saturday night on a business trip to Chicago.

Dr. G. W. Kemper of Waubay, S. Dak., is the guest of his brother, Dr. A. R. Kemper, 1413 Kane street.

Miss Mary Harden of Minneapolis is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Nagle, 827 Avon street, left Saturday for several months visit with friends at Witoka, Minn.

Mrs. Irwin Smith, 1920 George street, has returned from a visit with friends at Winona and Lewiston, Minn.

Mrs. J. J. Rouse and daughter, 1402 Charles street, have returned from a visit with relatives at LaBelle, Mo.

George Brown has resumed his duties as car clerk at the "Q" after enjoying a week's vacation.

Harry Maxwell has been promoted to Assistant Trainmaster for the "Q" at Grand Crossing.

Wm. E. Hanson is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties on the "Q."

R. C. Marshall, 1419 Kane street, is making preparations to move his family to Galena, Ill.

The young people of the St. John's church will hold an ice cream social at the Pfeiffer lawn tonight.

Captain Steusser of fire station No. 2 made a fishing trip to Dresbach, yesterday.

William Dean of Beloit spoke at the Tabernacle Baptist church yesterday morning.

Patrick Murphy of Chicago is visiting relatives on the North side and camping on French Island.

Miss Malinda Knutson of Winona, who has been visiting here for the past few days, returned home this morning.

A real gossip uses this expression pretty often: "I got it very straight."

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## MAN UNCONSCIOUS FOR TWO HOURS

### Ward Shattuck Has a Convulsion at North Side Carnival Saturday Night; Taken to Hospital

Ward Shattuck, Otsego, Mich., an employee of the Cosmopolitan Carnival company which left here yesterday morning, fell on the street in the 800 block on Rose street about 9 o'clock Saturday night and for a time it was thought that he had been overcome with gas fumes from the gasoline engine near which he was working. Bystanders labored over him for some time but could not resuscitate him. A call for a doctor was put in and the man taken to the St. Francis hospital where Dr. Wolf attended him. The man was unconscious for over two hours. Dr. Wolf stated this morning that he had suffered from convulsions and that after medical treatment he recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital yesterday afternoon.

## NORTH SIDE BOY A GOOD VIOLINIST

Paul Graham, grand son of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, 1403 Avon street and a former north side boy, graduated recently from the public schools of Fargo, N. D., where he now resides. The young boy was formerly a student at the north side public schools. The local paper of Fargo in speaking of the boy's musical ability says:

"One of the prominent features in the program of the exercises given by the eighth grades of the Fargo public schools was the violin solo played with rare ability by Master Paul Graham, the gifted musical son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Graham. Paul is determined to stick to it and there are qualified ones who believe that in a few years he will be ranking high among violinists."

## INSTRUCTION CAR TO COME HERE SOON

Bulletins announcing that the Westinghouse air brake car would pass through this city soon were posted at the North side offices of the Milwaukee road this morning. The car will not stop here, but will go to Winona, where instructions will be given to the yard men. They will then go to Wabasha and St. Paul.

## HARRY MAXWELL IS ASS'T TRAINMASTER

Harry Maxwell, 1807 Wood street, a popular conductor on the La Crosse division of the Burlington road, has resigned his position to accept a promotion to the position of assistant trainmaster with offices at Grand Crossing.

## DROPSY FATAL TO MRS. SODERBERG

### Prominent North Side Woman Succumbs After Illness of One Year; Funeral Tuesday

Mrs. Betsy C. Soderberg, aged 78 years, died at the home of her son, P. T. Soderberg, 1125 Gillette street at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, after an illness of over one year with dropsy.

Deceased is survived by two sons, P. E. Soderberg of this city, D. L. Soderberg of Tacoma, Wash., and two daughters, Mrs. M. P. Norden of this city and Mrs. A. C. Larsen of Hill Top, Canada.

Mrs. Soderberg came to this country seventeen years ago from Sweden and after residing here three years returned to her native country. In 1903 she returned to this city residing here continuously since that time.

The funeral will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and at 2:30 o'clock at the Scandinavian Baptist church. Rev. Larsen officiating and Undertaker Stetten in charge. Interment will be made in the Oak Grove cemetery.

## VIROQUA, WIS.

VIROQUA, Wis., July 11.—Leaving a note saying: "I do this because I need the money," someone robbed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tollef Severson, near Brookville, of \$300 in paper money, earned by the sweat of the brow and saved by dint of close economy. The robbery was committed between 2 and 4 in the afternoon, while Mr. and Mrs. Severson were hauling hay nearby. The money was secreted in an old trunk, which also contained \$20 in coin, but this latter the thief was considerate enough to leave. It is evident that he knew something of the family life, and of where they kept their money. A peculiar circumstance connected with the affair is that just about the time of the robbery the Seversons received a letter, sent from a distance, from the person whom they suspect of having committed it. He had been away for some time, but had been seen by neighbors in the vicinity of Severson's home about the time they heard from him. He was evidently trying to prove an alibi.

But for the possession of a handkerchief which he called into play at just the right time, B. I. Hunter, a well known farmer, might have lost his life. While making hay at his home, he sustained a broken rib, which, had he not used his handkerchief, might have penetrated his heart.

He had two horses hitched to a rake with a short tongue. One of the animals had a sore on its neck, which caused it to become irritated when the rake touched it. The horse began to kick and run, but Mr. Dahl could not hold it because there was no foot rest upon the rake. Mr. Hunter was dragged off the rake, and in falling received a blow which broke one rib and injured another.

Mrs. Thea Thompson Yakey died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Thompson, on Pleasant Ridge, Monday evening. She had been afflicted with tuberculosis for some time past. She was married about a year ago to Byron Yakey. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Thursday afternoon.

Miss Winnie Nix was home from Sparta to visit her people.

H. E. Goldsmith is absent from the city, acting as a substitute railway mail clerk.

Frank Williams and daughter, Miss May, returned from a visit at Richland Center.

Mrs. Salome Miller, daughter Cornelia and the two children of Hampton Miller went to Patch Grove to visit Dr. and Mrs. Don Miller. Hampton Miller came from Milwaukee to accompany them.

Max Kolb visited his home at Patch Grove.

Miss Myrtle Shanks of La Crosse and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White of this city went to Bennett's Corners to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bennett.

Mrs. W. E. Butt and baby returned from a visit at Hillsboro.

Rev. Lars Kalvestran is spending a few days here, preparatory to leaving for Denver, Col., where he will have his first parish.

Attorney Jesse Higbee of La Crosse was here yesterday and accompanied C. W. Graves to Viola, where they had business. Kenneth Smith took them over in his auto.

Mrs. C. M. Thompson is preparing to leave soon for Cowville, Wash., to join her husband, who has a good position there.

Gerald Seals has gone to Waterloo, Iowa, to work at the carpenter trade.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harding and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cass of Sumner, Iowa, were here on an auto trip in Mr. Cass' machine. Mr. Cass and Mrs. Harding (who was formerly Hallie Cass) are son and daughter of Landlord Cass, who for a time managed the Park hotel about ten years ago. Alfred is now engaged in the auto business at Sumner. Mr. and Mrs. Harding are moving to San Francisco, where the gentleman is interested in the oil business.

Benjamin Williams returned from Wales, where he has been visiting a nephew and a sister for several months.

Miss Lydia Baensch of Manitowoc, who was recently married to Robert Brown of Antigo, was an assistant at the Viroqua library for a few weeks at the time the card index was installed.

Thos. Latta of Iowa county, Iowa, has been visiting here.



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## STREET OPENING JURY MEETS TODAY

The street opening jury appointed by Judge Brindley last week met this morning at 9 o'clock and spent the forenoon making a trip in automobiles to view the property affected by the proposed street openings, and also the property of Mrs. Hart on the river front, which is included in the proposed levee improvement.

## FIFTEEN SINGERS GO TO SIOUX FALLS

Normanna Sangerkor will be represented by fifteen singers at the annual sangerfest of the Norwegian-Danish Singing association to be held at Sioux Falls, S. D. July 15, 16 and 17. The local delegation will leave Thursday morning on the Northwestern road to participate in the event.

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## PERSONALS

Miss Marie Peterson of Chicago, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Peterson, left for Montreal, Canada, where she will meet two of her classmates of the Illinois Training School of Chicago. Together they will sail for London, Eng. They will visit all places of interest in France, Norway, Germany and England, also taking in the Passion play at Oberammergau. They expect to return some time in November.

Wanted—Six bright women to do soliciting. Good wages. Very pleasant work. Address M. P. General Delivery, La Crosse, Wis.

The La Crosse Construction company has been awarded the contract for the erection of the addition to the West Salem county insane asylum, the amount being \$61,200.

Wesley McKenzie, a W. B. U. student, has accepted a position with the C. B. & Q. R. R.

Leroy Bennett has returned to Chicago after visiting his mother, Mrs. C. E. Bennett.

For good pure ice and the best of service, Arctic Ice and Fuel Co., Phones 231.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Colman and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Osborne have gone to northern Michigan, where they will spend several weeks at a summer resort.

Dr. J. A. Winters has returned from a trip to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Linker left Saturday for New York, from which city they will sail for Europe to be gone several months.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Cameron of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cameron. John Hayes, who claims his home is in Boston, was picked up in a gravel pit south of La Crosse last Friday, overcome from the heat. He is steadily improving from the effects of the prostration.

Henry May has returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Waukon, Iowa.

Yeomen drill team ice cream social, Burns park, Friday, July 15, 2:30 to 10:30. Yeomen orchestra.

Earle E. Tiffany has gone to Billings, Mont., to accept a position in the Merchants' National bank.

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Rev. John E. Ayscue and Rev. Henry Faville exchanged pulpits yesterday morning, the former preaching the First Congregational church and the latter in the First Baptist church.

Reports from the tobacco country in Vernon county are to the effect that unless rain falls soon the entire crop will be lost. The present drought is the most serious experienced in that part of the country in twenty years.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. Proprietors of the local skilleries complain that many launch owners, instead of circling away from the landings and slowing down in passing, dash past close and at high speed, with the result the wave wash is both annoying and dangerous, especially while ladies are embarking or disembarking from skiffs beside the dock.

Miss Margaret Spear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Spear, who recently returned from La Crosse hospital, where she was operated upon for a tumor, is entirely recovered and seems in splendid physical condition again.

Screen porches, windows, and doors to order; carpenter work of all kinds. Estimates furnished. C. A. Thompson, shop 626 Main street.

Otto J. Munz installed a trust bearing in his speed boat "Minora" intended to improve the efficiency to a large degree.

Wall papers and room mouldings A. & C. Johnson Co., 221 Main St.

J. C. Toeller and family have resumed camping at the houseboat "Wanderlust II" at Cool Cove.

Wanted—Four reliable men to travel for an educational institution. Good salary or commission. Address A. M. Gen'l Delivery, La Crosse, Wis.

Miss Mary McNamara of Winona is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. McNamara, 210 Caledonia street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Engh, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Willey, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Looney and son Charles, Mr. and Mrs. L. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Turnbull Wednesday evening at Camp Ferawepo.

We're headquarters for linseed oil, white lead and paints. A. & C. Johnson Co., 221 Main street.

Miss Elizabeth Mueller and brother William, have returned from Caledonia, where they spent the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Use Lacqueret varnish, in all colors, for furniture and floors. A. & C. Johnson Co., 221 Main.

Jake Padesky, of the J. Gordon Steele Company of Minneapolis, is at work in the city hall, looking over the books.

James Anderson of Chicago today took out a license to wed Etta Guertin of this city.

## WORKER'S EYESIGHT

No one more vitally needs good vision than the worker. The difficulty is that almost every kind of close work aggravates the troubles of the eyes. The wise thing to do when eye defects are suspected, is to submit them to an expert for examination. For examination and advice see

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REPORT SHEDS  
LIGHT ON LIGHT

Other Cities Report what  
Municipal Lighting Is  
Costing Compared to  
Commercial Kind

The following report of the special light committee of the city council Friday night, which induced the aldermen to again submit the question of a municipal lighting plant to the people at the next election, throws considerable light on the question of municipal lighting, as practiced in other cities:

"To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of La Crosse:

"Your committee on special lights who have had under consideration the question of constructing a municipal lighting plant in the city of La Crosse, beg leave to report:

"That they have given the matter careful study and made elaborate investigation with a view of giving to the members of this body, as well as to our citizens as much information as possible from which to determine the feasibility of the city owning its own lighting plant.

"Pursuant to a resolution passed by your honorable body, the city attorney entered into correspondence with the officials of a large number of cities in the United States of approximately the same size as our city, and where conditions are to some extent similar to the conditions in the city of La Crosse.

"A careful examination and computation of the figures received from the various cities demonstrates to the satisfaction of your committee, that those cities which own their own lighting plant, save at least from \$15 to \$20 per lamp, compared with those who obtain their light from private corporations. Furthermore, that in all of the cities, with whom correspondence was had, with one exception, operated their lighting plants independently of the water works system, and therefore all charges for the cost of generation of current are directly charged to the electric lighting plant. Further investigation shows that in the city of La Crosse if the municipal lighting plant be conducted in conjunction with the city water works, a large additional saving will be made in labor, fuel and other operating expenses, so that the cost of generation ought to be materially reduced from the figures obtained from cities where the water works and electric light plants are conducted separately.

"Resting in the belief that it is impracticable for each member of the common council to make a detailed examination of the returns received from the various cities by the city attorney, and which are herewith submitted, your committee have made the following extracts from the information of the entire council:

"Springfield, Ill.—Municipal plant has been in use for 15 years and lights are furnished at \$46 per lamp on an all night schedule. Sixty lamps on the outskirts of the city are furnished by private contract at \$60 per lamp. It is the opinion of the city officials of Springfield that the municipal plant has saved money to the city.

"Bay City, Mich.—Municipal plant was established in 1886 and is operated in connection with commercial lighting. The cost of each lamp is \$49.93 per year on an all night schedule. It is considered by city officials a large saving to the city.

"Marshalltown, Iowa.—Municipal plant has been in use many years and is operated in connection with water works. Cost per lamp \$25 on a day-light schedule. It is considered a saving to the city.

"Fort Wayne, Ind.—Municipal plant established September 1, 1908, furnishing commercial light as well as street light. Cost \$53 per lamp on moonlight schedule.

"Kalamazoo, Mich.—Municipal plant established in 1895, not in connection with any other plant. Cost \$45 per lamp for all night, except on bright moonlight nights.

"Huntington, Ind.—Municipal plant in use for 24 years in connection with water works. Light furnished at \$39.22 per lamp and lights turned on when necessary.

"Bloomington, Ill.—Municipal plant established 20 years ago. Light furnished at \$40 per lamp on moonlight schedule. Saving to the city.

"Aurora, Ill.—Municipal plant in use for 20 years in connection with water plant. Cost of light \$30 per lamp on moonlight schedule. Saving to the city.

"Grand Rapids, Mich.—Municipal plant established in 1899 and is not in connection with any other plant. Light furnished at \$57.24 per lamp including interest, taxation and depreciation. No regular schedule. Saving to city.

Aberdeen, S. D.—Contract lights furnished at \$70 each and \$60 for clusters of five small lights. Twenty-five year contract. All night schedule.

Ottumwa, Iowa.—Contract made on May 1, 1910, for five years at \$62.50 per lamp on all night schedule.

Green Bay, Wis.—Contract made for five years for \$70 per lamp on all night schedule.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—City owns its own plant but buys current, plant in operation for six years. Lights cost city \$38.75 per lamp for current alone.

"Cedar Rapids, Iowa.—Light furnished on five year contract at \$55 per lamp on Philadelphia moonlight schedule.

"Davenport, Iowa.—Private contract made in 1886 for twenty-five years for \$60 per lamp on all night schedule.

"Madison, Wis.—Five year contract at \$52 per lamp for midnight and \$72 for all night schedule.

"Superior, Wis.—Contract at \$65 and \$85 per lamp for all night schedule.

"St. Joseph, Mich.—Municipal plant in operation eight or ten years in connection with water works. Light furnished at \$44.02 per lamp on moonlight schedule and saved the city money.

"Marion, Ind.—Municipal plant established 19 years ago, and operated independent of any other plant. Light furnished at \$37.27 per lamp. Saved the city from \$10,000 to \$12,000 per year.

"Sioux City, Iowa.—Light furnished by private contract made in August, 1907, for ten years at \$75 per lamp on all night schedule.

"Rockford, Ill.—Contract made for five years from 1908 at \$52 per lamp on all night schedule.

"Fond du Lac, Wis.—Contract made April 1, 1903, for ten years at \$74 per lamp on Philadelphia schedule.

"Mason City, Iowa.—Contract made January 7, 1905, for seven years at \$60 per lamp on all night schedule.

"Oshkosh, Wis.—Contract made in 1903 for ten years at \$48.90 on all night schedule except on clear moonlight nights.

"Racine, Wis.—Contract made in 1905 for five years at \$72 for all night and \$54 for 1 o'clock schedule. City is now considering a new contract.

"Jacksonville, Ill.—Municipal plant at \$42 per lamp on moonlight schedule in residence district and all night schedule in business district. Saved the city money.

"Your committee therefore, being advised that the election held in the city of La Crosse for the purpose of obtaining an expression of opinion of our citizens on the question of constructing a municipal lighting plant was void, because of technical errors which arose in submitting said question, and having in mind the further fact that the question, as submitted was carried by a substantial majority of 526, and believing that the figures above submitted, and such information as your committee has been able to obtain, that it would inure to the financial benefit of our city in a large measure to own its own lighting plant, and that the cost of constructing such a plant would not exceed the sum of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS as heretofore found, your committee deems it wise, and therefore recommends to your honorable body that it pass a resolution by the terms of which the question of municipal lighting shall be again submitted to our people for a vote. That we owe this to our people in view of the facts ascertained and in view of the vote heretofore had."

LONG DISTANCE  
AT "COOL COVE"

Occupants of the leased summer camping property a half mile north of the Milwaukee railroad bridge, known as "Cool Cove," are negotiating with the Wisconsin Telephone company for the establishment of a telephone pay station there. The line will be run down from River Junction and the telephone will be a pay station, open to the use of motorboat owners and fishermen. In the past those patronizing the river have been greatly inconvenienced by the lack of telephone communication with up river points and the Cool Cove phone, when established, will no doubt be largely patronized. Manager J. V. Young expects to erect a large sign bearing the words "Telephone Pay Station," where it will be visible from the river. Cool Cove is occupied by the summer camps of Otto J. Munz, J. A. Thwing, W. V. Kidder, Leigh Toland and John C. Toeller, and nearby are the camps of a dozen or more others.

HOW TO MAKE  
THE HENS LAY

WESTERLY, R. I., July 11.—Putting a hen in a tub with two inches of cold water in the bottom, covering it up and keeping her there for twelve hours, is a sure cure for her setting habit, according to Farmer Walter Russell, Boss of this place. Boss says he has tried the scheme for a couple of years and his hens now work all year at egg laying.

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JUNE 30th, 1910

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts .....	\$2,666,423.00
Overdrafts .....	1,725.36
U. S. bonds to secure circulation .....	250,000.00
Other bonds .....	649,700.00
Banking house .....	50,000.00
Other real estate .....	100.00
Cash Resources:	
U. S. bonds to secure U.	
S. deposits .....	\$ 30,000.00
With banks .....	742,659.99
With treasurer U. S. ....	12,500.00
In vaults .....	286,041.83 1,071,201.82
Total .....	\$4,689,150.18

## LIABILITIES.

Capital .....	\$ 250,000.00
Surplus .....	300,000.00
Undivided profits .....	65,047.79
Reserved for taxes .....	6,000.00
Circulation .....	247,500.00
DEPOSITS .....	3,820,602.39
Total .....	\$4,689,150.18

## UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

CHARLES N. MASON  
DIES SUDDENLY

Well Known Painter and  
Veteran of Civil War  
Expires This  
Morning

Charles N. Mason, an old resident of the city and a veteran of the civil war, died suddenly about 5 o'clock this morning at his home, 2123 Madison street. He had been in apparently good health and his death came quite unexpectedly.

Decedent was born in England 72 years ago and came to La Crosse about 38 years ago. He served in the United States navy during the civil war as a seaman on the United States steamer Huntsville. He was a painter by trade. For many years he was a member of the Wilson Colwell post, G. A. R., which will have charge of the funeral. He is survived by a widow.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the house and at 3:30 o'clock from the First Congregational church, Rev. Henry Faville officiating. Interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

Miss Alice Kindell, who has been the guest of friends in the city for several days, has returned to her home in Janesville, Wis.

ADAM KRONER IS  
MAYOR OF CITY

Hardware Man will Serve  
During Absence of Sor-  
ensen at Fond du  
Lac Meeting

Mayor Ori J. Sorensen this morning appointed Alderman Adam Kroner, acting mayor of La Crosse for the remainder of the week, to take up the work of city government during his absence at the Fond du Lac, Wis., convention of municipalities. The mayor left at noon today, accompanied by Aldermen Kohn, Goddard and Collins and City Attorney Doherty.

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## SLUMBER PARTY

Mrs. S. W. Anderson, 208 South Fifteenth street, entertained Thursday night at a slumber party for her daughter, Miss Helen Anderson in honor of Miss Dorothy Usher and her guest, Miss Katherine Peary. During the evening the hostess kept "open house" as it were and many young ladies and gentlemen called. The young ladies who remained all night were the Misses Dorothy Usher, Katherine Peary, Helen Harrison Carmel Young, Florence Scofield, Ellen Hixon, Marjorie Gordon, Margaret Easton, Josephine Traer and Mildred Eberhart.

## WISCONSIN TELEPHONE PICNIC

Yesterday the entire force of the Wisconsin Telephone company turned out to enjoy an all day picnic at the old Y. M. C. A. camp ground. The party, thirty-six in number, left on the Otto launch at 8 o'clock and returned at 9 o'clock in the evening. The day was delightful and cool. Games and singing with occasional dips in the river entertained the crowd.

LANESBORO WOMAN  
DIES AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Blanche E. Ward, wife of Arthur Ward of Lanesboro, Minn., died Sunday afternoon at St. Francis hospital, aged 31 years, after an illness of one month. She is survived by her husband and one daughter. The body has been taken to Lanesboro, where the funeral will be held tomorrow.

## Winona, 6; Wausau, 5

WINONA, Minn., July 11.—Errors extra base hits spiced with singles, frequent arguments between players and umpire Agur, and a rank decision that gave Winona four runs were features. Score: R H E Wausau ..... 003110000—5 7 2 Winona ..... 00011040x—6 9 5 Batteries—Dunbar and Johnson; Baillies, Pearl and Killian.

## Duluth, 3; Superior, 1

DULUTH, Minn., July 11.—Cummings outpitched Dahlgren in Sunday afternoon's game, Duluth winning easily. Score: R H E Duluth ..... 00010110x—3 4 2 Superior ..... 100000000—1 6 2 Batteries—Cummings and Schwab; Dahlgren and Lizzette.

## Rochester, 5; Red Wing, 1

ROCHESTER, Minn., July 11.—Rochester defeated Red Wing, 5 to 1. Widell for Red Wing was pounded for ten bingles. Score: R H E Red Wing ..... 0000100—1 6 2 Rochester ..... 001202x—5 10 2 Batteries—Chase and Stewart; Widell and Thomas.

## EAGLE BLUFF AND CAMP NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schulze and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cilly opened the Loomis cottage at Eagle Bluff and will spend several weeks there. O. W. Muenster was an over Sunday guest.

At the Burke cottage are Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burke, their daughter, Helen Burke, and Mr. M. T. Burke. Mr. John Holley, Jr., and two of his children spent Sunday at the Holley cottage.

The Russell cottage was in a state of quietness all day, the family being there.

A large picnic party from town occupied the Jenks grounds. Several smaller crowds spent the day around the bluff enjoying the scenery and delightful air.

## AT THE Y. M. C. A. CAMP

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dunham and children have gone into their cottage at the Y. M. C. A. grounds. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fowler spent yesterday with them.

The Y. M. C. A. boys, fifty-five strong, will break camp at Trempealeau lake and return today to their respective homes.

## BIRTHDAY PICNIC

A motor ride and picnic in honor of the birthday of Miss Mae Williams was given yesterday at Wacker. In the party were Messrs. and Madames W. F. Hurtgen, A. P. Hankerson, John Elliott, W. R. Finch, J. D. Hengstler, Mrs. David Law, Miss Mae Williams and Mr. Sidney Law.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dunham were in the city at the home of their son, C. N. Dunham. Mr. Dunham was enroute for Baltimore and had been spending his vacation at Hokah with his wife and mother.

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Read the Tribune Wants.

## REV. MAGIN GETS ROUSING WELCOME

M. E. Church well Filled when New Pastor Delivers His First Sermon Sunday

The congregation of the First Methodist Episcopal church nearly filled the auditorium yesterday morning and evening to greet their new pastor, Rev. Louis Magin, who occupied the pulpit at both services. Mr. Magin has made a very pleasant impression upon his people and all he has met during his short stay and all feel greatly pleased with the prospects before the church under his administration. Doubtless he feels some embarrassment in the beginning of a pastorate among a strange people, but if his work yesterday is any criterion of what he can do the people of the First Methodist church are to be congratulated on securing the services of so attractive a pastor. Of modest and dignified bearing, courteous and kindly to all, he has already won a very secure place in the hearts of those who have met him.

Having spent a month in vacation among the Colorado mountains before coming to La Crosse, he will carry on his work during the months of July and August without intermission.

## INDIAN CROESUS IS HELPING PEOPLE

NEW YORK, July 11.—His Royal Highness Maharajah Sahib Kaekwar of Baroda, one of India's wealthiest potentates—which means that he has untold millions at his command—is going to devote the rest of his life toward ameliorating the condition of his people. For that reason he is making his second tour around the world, studying civic conditions, particularly along the line of education.

The Gaekwar, accompanied by the Maharene, his wife, Princess Indira Raj, Prince Jaisinh and a party of seven attendants, are at the Hotel Plaza and have the state suite. The male members of the party are attired in conventional European garb, but the women wear only a semi-European dress. Fashionably dressed women, believing them to be gypsies, drew away and were amazed at the cordial treatment extended to one of the world's richest men.

The Gaekwar speaks perfect English, being an Oxford graduate. His wife, too, speaks excellent English. The royal pair is easily approachable. "My idea of working out great reforms in India," said the Gaekwar, "is to give the people good government and to diffuse good education among them; give them the capacity for developing themselves along certain lines. I am a great believer in industrial education. I have practiced as I preach. I already have 3,000 schools in Baroda, among a population of 2,500,000. I have also tried to improve the condition of our women by educating them and forbidding child marriage. I am a strict monogamist myself and though polygamy is still permitted we are trying our best to discourage it."

## CALLED TO SERVE IN FRENCH ARMY

SAN MATEO, Cal., July 11.—Drawn for service in the French army under the compulsory military law, Christopher de Guigne, Jr., a Harvard freshman and son of a wealthy local merchant, will leave at once for France to serve his two years in the ranks.

The elder de Guigne has never been naturalized and when he was notified that his son had been ordered to report to the colors, he sent for him and told him that he wanted him to obey the law and return to France at once. Young de Guigne had brought a couple of Harvard classmates home with him for the summer and had made elaborate plans for a lively vacation.

## THINK STOCKYARD FIRE INCENDIARY

CHICAGO, July 11.—An investigation is in progress today as the result of two conflagrations which raged simultaneously early yesterday in the Union Stock Yards district here, causing a loss estimated at \$150,000 and seriously injuring two persons. It is the theory of the police that an effort was made to burn the stockyards. Many of the large packing plants were seriously threatened. Congressman J. T. McDermott of the fourth district rushed into one of the burning buildings and rescued his touring car.

## AUTO IS STRUCK BY A STREET CAR

This afternoon an automobile owned by K. Burnett, 111 West avenue, north, was struck by a street car on Fourteenth and Jackson streets. The auto was being driven by a woman, who was learning to operate it, when the accident occurred. The street car was damaged, but it is said no one was injured.

## ANOTHER OFFICIAL IN CROOKED CLUB

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 11.—August Ropke, assistant secretary of the Fidelity Trust company, was today arrested and charged with the embezzlement of \$6,000. It is said the defalcation may run into hundreds of thousands.

It has been known for some time that Ropke was speculating heavily.

## PITTSBURG BUYS MINNY LEAGUER

First Baseman John Kading of Eau Claire Sold Today to Pirates for \$1,500

The Pittsburg club of the National league today closed a deal whereby they came into the possession of Firstbaseman John Kading of the Eau Claire club which has just closed a series in this city. The sale price is \$1,500. Kading will finish the season with the Commissioners after which he will report to Pittsburg.

The tall firstsacker was picked up by Scout Howard Earle who has been in the city for the past few days. He had been camping on Kading's trail for some time in an effort to secure a firstsacker for the Pirates. The Pirates are at present without a reliable man. Since Abstein's downfall in the world championship games with Detroit he has become a has been and Flynn's fight with Wagner and Miller has put him out of the running with the Pirates at least. The club tried to get Eddie Konetchy at the beginning of the season but were unsuccessful, Bresnahan refusing to part with the local boy.

Earle stated this morning that Kading "looked good to him" and he expects that the tall fellow will make a name for himself. He also spoke favorably of Ed Ward of the local team. Kading has been playing a remarkable fielding and hitting game all the present season. His work during the local series however was not up to the standard.

## PACKET LA CROSSE ON INITIAL TRIP

After being overhauled and newly painted, the packet La Crosse, which is now in new hands left this morning at 9 o'clock with a large amount of freight and many passengers on the initial trip of the season for Wabasha. The boat yesterday took an excursion to Winona, arriving there about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The boat will give a moonlight excursion at 8 o'clock Thursday evening. Manager Erickson of the La Crosse and Wabasha Packet company this morning stated that whenever the boat was under the management of this company no intoxicating liquor would be sold aboard.

As the Diamond Jo boats are not running because of the low stage of water, it is expected that the boat will do a flourishing business.

## WANTS ROOSEVELT TO RESTORE JOB

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 11.—Footsore from the long walk to Sagamore Hill, John Nelson of Richmond Hill, Long Island, a discharged employe of the Panama canal, appealed to ex-President Roosevelt today to intercede for him with the federal authorities.

Col. Roosevelt, busy with his mail, could spare no time, but arranged to meet Nelson at his office in the Outlook building tomorrow. "I will see that you won't have to repeat your tiresome journey," said the ex-president, whereupon he called his chauffeur and had the weary visitor taken to the station in comfort.

## MRS. GEO. STEINER DIES IN THE WEST

Mrs. J. C. Wolford received word Saturday evening announcing the death of her cousin, Mrs. Geo. Steiner, of Malden, Washington. A husband and two small children survive. The remains will be shipped to New Lisbon, where the parents of the deceased reside, and interment will take place in New Lisbon cemetery.

## URNS IN FALSE ALARM OF FIRE

The fire department was called to Thirteenth and Redfield streets yesterday afternoon by a boy, who was afterward taken to the central police station, but after the facts were learned the lad was released. It is said that some of the neighbor boys told him that they would set his barn afire, and, believing that the barn was burning, he ran out and pulled a fire alarm box.

## There is a Right and Wrong Way to Do Everything

A good many think that a simple job like putting a new pin in a brooch can only be done one way, and that it makes no difference where the work is done.

Next time you have some jewelry to repair bring it here and you will see the difference. We take just as much pains with a ten-cent job as we would with one costing as many dollars.

Every article of jewelry left here to repair is polished and refinished like new, and you will be surprised at the transformation of some of the old pieces of jewelry that you are about ready to throw away.

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## CAPTAIN BLAMES PLEIN FOR FIRE

Streckfus Writes Winona Friends that Dead Man Probably Set the J. S. Afire

In a letter written to Winona friends Capt. John Streckfus of the steamer J. S., which burned near Victory June 25, after 1,500 people were rescued with only two fatalities, says the talk of holding him for the disaster is foolish. He declares his belief that Plein ignited the boat, either accidentally or purposely, and declares the officers did the best possible under the conditions. He declares the boat was inspected two days before the fire by U. S. inspectors and was found in good condition, which fact, he intimates, will absolve him from responsibility.

## TAFT ANXIOUS TO GET TEDDY'S PLAN

(Continued from Page One.)

The invitation to come to Beverly and "talk politics" was due to the desire of President Taft to hear at first hand just how the people feel toward his administration and the republican party generally.

As a close personal and political friend of both Col. Roosevelt and President Taft, Loeb, is expected to tell Taft the significance of the colonel's recent activity and there was a belief here that he might be charged with a message to deliver to Roosevelt when he comes back to this city explaining the Taft plans for the fall campaign.

That Loeb may be made the republican gubernatorial candidate in New York state as the result of his visit to Beverly was an opinion expressed in many quarters. President Taft was supposed to "O. K." his boom which has been quietly pushed for the last fortnight.

But while this is the program as the local politicians have "doped" it out, friends of Loeb say he does not want to be governor.

The Oyster Bay conference between Gov. Hughes and Col. Roosevelt is causing much anxiety among the party leaders here inasmuch as it has been frankly announced from Sagamore Hill that Hughes intends presenting the entire facts of the fight for direct primary to Roosevelt. An alliance between the two is looked for with a campaign starting at once for delegates to control the next state convention.

## GEORGE PLUMPTON CUTS HEAD IN FALL

George Plumpton, the moving picture machine operator at the Bijou theatre, this morning cut a gash in his head when he fell to the walk in front of the theatre in a fainting spell. The accident occurred about 11 o'clock. He was picked up by Mr. and Mrs. Fryatt, who operate a fruit store two doors south of the place. As he was bleeding profusely from the wound, Manager McWilliams took him to Dr. Wolf's office, where his head was dressed. The injured man was able to walk the entire distance and will suffer no ill effects from the injury, it being nothing but a flesh wound.

## COUNTY BOARD TO MEET TOMORROW

An adjourned meeting of the county board of supervisors will be held tomorrow, when the question of establishing a tuberculosis hospital will be taken up for consideration. The special committee, comprising Supervisors John Kindley, T. B. Lawrence and R. W. Davis, will make a report recommending that the hospital be built. The committee has several sites in view, which will be submitted to the board for consideration.

## PARK STORE PICNIC TO BE ON WEDNESDAY

The annual picnic of the employees of the Park store will be held at Pettibone park Wednesday afternoon. The employees of the store will form in line at the establishment shortly after noon and headed by the Kreutz band will march to the foot of State street, where they will take launches to the park. One of the attractions of the afternoon will be a baseball game between the Park store team and some other city aggregation. A program is being arranged for the affair.

## WALTER SWENSEN IS DEAD AT HOSPITAL

Walter Swensen, aged 13 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Swensen, 619 Badger street, died at the Lutheran hospital at 5 o'clock this morning after an illness with stomach trouble since January.

The funeral will probably be held Wednesday afternoon at the residence at 2 o'clock. Rev. Magelsen officiating. Interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

## DARKTOWN OUT TO GREET CHAMPION

Speech at New York Saloon Planned, but Police Put Stop to Plans of the Negroes

NEW YORK, July 11.—Oespite the fact that the Twentieth Century Limited, on which Jack Johnson came to New York, was delayed three and a half hours because of a wreck on the New York Central just south of Albany, 16,000 inhabitants of the "black belt" swarmed around the Grand Central depot from early morning waiting to greet the conqueror of Jim Jeffries.

One hundred policemen were on duty while mounted reserves were held ready in neighboring precincts to disperse the crowds if the occasion demanded.

The refusal of Police Commissioner Baker to allow several brass bands to lead a procession of 100 automobiles through the streets in honor of Johnson angered the negroes who planned to hold the automobile parade at all hazards.

White owners of garages and private automobiles refused to rent machines to negroes for use in the parade but two negroes who keep garages were willing to give their cars away if necessary to have plenty on hand.

Seventy-five negroes were found who own cars and these were commandeered.

Johnson is billed to appear this week at Hammerstein's roof garden at a salary of \$3,000.

Johnson's train was due at 9:30 and it was planned that Johnson should immediately enter a waiting automobile and, followed by 100 or more machines, drive to Baron Wilkins' saloon in West 35th street. Here he was to be met by a band and escorted to the balcony overlooking the street where he was to "make some remarks." Then he was to take lunch. Wilkins won \$10,000 on Johnson's victory and was prepared to spend a large portion of it in entertaining the negro champion.

Chief Inspector Schmittberger declared that under no circumstances would Johnson be allowed to make a speech from the balcony of Wilkins' saloon.

The negroes continued to grow as the morning advanced and the police had plenty of trouble keeping the "hero worshipers" on the move and preventing the stopping of traffic. The size of the gathering was due in part to the wide circulation through the "black belt" of a circular which read as follows:

"All hail, Jack Johnson, the absolute champion of the world!"

"To every colored man, woman and child in Greater New York: Be at the Grand Central station at 9:30 on Monday and let us shake the hand of the stalwart athlete giant of the twentieth century. Come anyway you can—in vehicles or on foot—but come anyway. Be sure to come. Be Sure."

"(Signed) THE COMMITTEE."

**RICKARD READY TO PROMOTE MATCH**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 11.—As soon as he was advised by the United Press today that Jeffries was going to California to fish and consider another battle with Johnson, Tex Rickard announced that he will leave for Catalina tomorrow to consult with Jeffries. Rickard said that he intended to offer a large fat purse for the match if the white and black come together again.

Jeff says he won't challenge immediately as he desires to think it over.

## GOOSE TOWN BEATS SMOKY SLUGGERS

The Goose Town baseball team defeated the Smoky Sluggers at the League park yesterday morning by the score of 4 to 3 in a fast exhibition of the game. The batteries were: Goose Town, Weigel and Childers; Sluggers, Ott and Kubiak.

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In my opinion, constipation is responsible for most ailments. There are thirty-two feet of human bowels, which is really a sewer pipe. When this pipe becomes clogged, the whole system becomes poisoned, causing biliousness, indigestion and impure blood, which often produces rheumatism and kidney ailments. No woman who suffers with constipation or any liver complaint can expect to have a clear complexion, or enjoy good health.

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## STAGE COACH OVER PRECIPICE

YOSEMITE, Cal., July 11.—Word reached here today that a four-horse stage coach, bearing the driver and eleven passengers, toppled off a precipice in Yosemite park last night and fell 100 hundred feet into the Merced river. Nine of the passengers jumped to safety and two, Mrs. A. Weeks, of Cleveland, and John Ulm, of Cincinnati, received severe but not serious injuries.

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## AT THE LYRIC THEATRE

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## FOUR ARE INJURED IN A BAD RUNAWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vollenweider Are at Hospital, and Other Two Return Home

Four persons were injured in a runaway accident on South Front street yesterday afternoon, two of whom are now at the La Crosse hospital and the other two were less seriously hurt. The injured are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vollenweider, Florine Schwartz and Henry Hott, all of La Crosse.

The party drove to the city yesterday morning to attend the services at the German Methodist church, corner of Seventh and Ferry streets. After the services they started for their home at La Crosse and at the corner of Fourth and King streets the horses became frightened at a passing automobile and started to run away. Mr. Schwarz, who was driving, was unable to hold the animals and when Front street was reached they whirled around the corner, throwing the occupants to the pavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Vollenweider were the most seriously injured, the former suffering an injury to the knee, and a bad cut on the head. Mrs. Vollenweider was badly bruised and at first it was thought she had been injured internally, but the attending doctors believe the injuries are less serious than first supposed.

Mr. Schwarz struck his chin and Mr. Hott received an injured hand. The last two named were able to return to their homes in La Crosse. A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vollenweider is a nurse at the La Crosse hospital where her parents were removed after the accident.

## ELKS BROWSE IN MICHIGAN TODAY

DETROIT, Mich., July 11.—Twenty thousand Elks as dry as any camels that ever padded across the torrid desert took possession of Detroit today after a trying experience with a real dry Sunday when the river was the only wet spot in the town. It was "eleven o'clock," the hour for the Elks' toast, from early morning.

Barring the kiln-dried feature, Detroit is out for a week of real revelry. The town is decorated to the last word and every train and boat brings new thousands to join the antlered herd that will browse here for a week. Practically every city of any size in the country is represented.

Today's doings began with a long automobile ride, a motor boat trip and a big luncheon at the Russmore club at St. Clair flats.

A return trip by motor boat consumed the rest of the day.

The real opening of the grand lodge convention will take place tonight at the Lyceum theatre. The Elks will be welcomed to Detroit by Mayor Bretmeyer, Gov. Warner and Senator Burrows. J. U. Sammis will respond for the Elks.

Scarcely had the delegations settled down in Detroit when the Portland, Oregon, and Atlantic City representatives were out boasting their respective cities for the 1911 "union. Both are confident they will land the convention.

## GOTCH AS HOPE OF WHITE RACE

CHICAGO, July 11.—Sporting authorities in Chicago today are not inclined to treat as serious the boom which has been started for Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, as a possible contender for Jack Johnson's prize ring laurels. Gotch has, at times in the past, expressed a desire to enter the ring but his only attempt, when he met an old timer in Alaska, was a dismal failure. James J. Corbett, who is desperate over Jeffries' defeat, declares that he is willing to spend the next eight months teaching Gotch to box and that he believed Frank would make good against Johnson.

Reached here today that a four-horse stage coach, bearing the driver and eleven passengers, toppled off a precipice in Yosemite park last night and fell 100 hundred feet into the Merced river. Nine of the passengers jumped to safety and two, Mrs. A. Weeks, of Cleveland, and John Ulm, of Cincinnati, received severe but not serious injuries.

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CHICAGO, July 11.—Seventy employees of the National Biscuit company, fifty of them women, thrown into a panic today when explosion of dust in the ship room set fire to the plant. All escaped.

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"He that gets for-gets; but he that wants thinks on" so that there are lots of people always interested in Tribune want ads

## TRIBUNE WANTS

FOR SALE—Combination bookcase and desk. 1414 State street. 7 11 14

FOR SALE—Two registered Percheron mares. One dark grey, 2 years old, weight 1,400; one black 2 year old, weight 1,420, extra good ones. Price each \$350. One grade shire mare, weight 1,900, 10 years old, in foal; two imported shire stallions, price \$250. Can send photos of all. P. O. Box 404, Grand Island, Neb. Bell phone RD 270. 7 11 11

FOR SALE—10 Singer and W. & W. drop head sewing machines. Wood work slightly marred; some latest models. Cheap, cash or time. Five good second hand Singers from \$5 up. Call Singer Store, 108 North Third street. 7 11 11

FOR SALE—Cheap if taken at once, horse, harness, two bugles and cutter. Inquire J. B. Tribune. 7 11 14

FOR SALE—22 foot launch at bargain if taken at once. Address Launch Bargain, care of Tribune. 7 11 14

FOR SALE—Electric hand sign, cheap. Address J. F., 514 South Ninth street. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—General stock of merchandise and store building in good live Iowa town. A good investment. Address S., care of Tribune. 5 9 11

FOR SALE—A snap for the right man. Well established hotel business, the Eagle hotel. Selling on account of sickness. 6 22 11

FOR SALE—Barn to be removed. Inquire at 1525 King street. 6 11 11

FOR SALE—House and lot, terms if desired. 1322 Pine street. 5 13 11

FOR SALE—16 foot launch, portable top, cushions, lights, 2 H. P. engine, together with boat house, all in perfect order. Dr. H. C. Evenson. 7 6 11

FOR SALE—A \$25 refrigerator for \$12, an ice cream oven for \$5.00. Inquire 120 South Seventh. 6 29 11

FOR SALE—Closing out fine pianos, cheap. Pianos tuned. A. Ruhoff. 7 9 11

FOR SALE—Livery and all equipments; also house and three lots, cheap if taken at once. Good transient town. Apply P. W. H., Tribune office. 6 23 11

FOR SALE—We will sell at a bargain, all the lumber from the big Novelty warehouse on Rose street, as we do not wish to haul it to our yard. La Crosse Wrecking Co. 6 27 11

FOR SALE—16 room hotel in Galeville, Wis. Has water works, electric light and a feed stable in connection. A bargain for the right party. Enquire P. J., Tribune. 6 21 11

FOR SALE—Modern 9 room house and lot, known as 118 North Eleventh street. Fred Dittman Hardware Co. 6 20 11

FOR SALE—House on Charles St. Inquire 427 North Sixth. 5 21 11

FOR SALE—250,000 feet of second hand white pine lumber, cheap; also pipe, belts, scales and rope. Nails, \$1.00 per 100 lbs. New porch columns, \$1.00 each. Screen windows, 25c each. La Crosse Wrecking Co., 740 North Third street. 5 24 11

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house, No. 118 North Eleventh street. Fred Dittman. 7 11 11

FOR RENT—One large unfurnished room. 110 Main street. 7 11 14

FOR RENT—Furnished barber shop. Call at once at Hammes Bros., Corner Ninth and Adams. Good location. 7 7 11

FOR RENT—Four rooms at 1726 Ferry street. New phone 1191-M. 7 9 12

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room house. New phone 830-M. 6 13 11

FOR RENT—Barn, with shed; central location. New phone 377-C. 7 8 11

FOR RENT—Modern house, 415 Fourth street. Inquire 627 South Fourth street. 7 8 14

## HAY LAND FOR RENT

Wanted—To rent, all or any part of 80 acres of Rock river hay land. Address A. B. this office, or call at office in person. 7 7 11

FOR RENT—6 room modern house, corner Sixth and Vine. C. L. V. Craft. 7 6 11

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping. 611 Main St. 7 6 12

FOR RENT—Three modern city heated flats, \$20, \$25, \$30. Inquire 119 South Tenth street mornings. 6 29 11

FOR RENT—Two large modern furnished rooms with every convenience. Apply at 129 South Seventh street. New phone 747-M. 6 29 11

FOR RENT—6 room house, 1819 Charles. Inquire 427 North Sixth. 6 29 11

FOR RENT—5 room flat and a 3 room house, at 1523 Badger. 6 25 11

## PLENTY OF EGGS

If you feed T. & P. CHICKEN FEED to your hens. All Grocers sell T. & P.

## TRIBUNE WANTS

FOR RENT—Modern store building, 535 Main street. Inquire of F. A. Reiman, at the Fashion Shop, Fifth and Main streets. 6 21 11

FOR RENT—No. 234 South Seventh street, modern, 8 rooms, city heat, desirable neighbors. Call new phone 194-C or 726-M. 4 26 11

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. Inquire 331 North Seventh. 5 31 11

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern, heat, hot water. 1316 South Fifth street. 6 13 11

FOR RENT—Or sale, the 4 mile house on West Salem road for next license season. Good chance for making money. Inquire 507 Berlin street. 5 27 11

FOR SALE—4x5 folding camera, carrying base, complete, at a bargain. J. K. this office. 6 18 11

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, single and double. Second floor Tribune building. 6 11 11

FOR RENT—House, 107 Caledonia. 4 27 11

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, in good neighborhood, not too far out. Address Box 396. 7 11 12

WANTED—To buy, house, reasonable for cash. Give particulars. Address T. C., The Tribune. 7 7 13

## Lost

LOST—Write silk scarf Thursday evening. Return to Tribune. 7 8 11

## Removal Notice

Dr. E. E. Burritt has moved his dental offices from 133 South Fourth to the Majestic building. 7 7 8 6

## Automobile Insurance

Liability, fire, theft, collision and property damage. S. D. WOODHOUSE. New phone 142; old phone 5873. 6 11 11

## Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Architects, Superintendents SCHICK & ROTH—Bavarian Bank Building. Telephone 390.

PARKINSON & DOCKENDORFF, architects and superintendents. Linker building, fourth floor, corner Fourth and Main.

## Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE, on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

## Photography

Call for pictures and parties down the river. W. J. Fitzpatrick, Majestic Theatre Gallery. New phone 1049-R. 7 1 8 1

## Public Stenographer

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHIC OFFICES—Dictation of all kinds, general correspondence, form letters, typewriting, mimeographing. D. C. Lewis Letter Co., 323 McMillan Building, both phones. 6 30 7 31

## Funeral Directors

FESSLER-DAHL CO., funeral directors, 109 South Third street. Both phones. Branch, La Crosse, Minn. W. M. Selby in charge.

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

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5th & Jay Phone 250

## WOMAN FILES TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR

CONCORD, N. H., July 11.—Determined to make a fight for the governorship of New Hampshire, Mrs. Marilla M. Ricker has presented to the secretary of state her declaration of candidacy for the republican nomination at the direct primary in September, accompanied by the \$100 fee required by law.

They were accepted by the secretary of state, subject to an opinion to be obtained from the attorney general as to the right of women to become candidates. Mrs. Ricker is a leader in the woman's suffrage movement.

## THE DAILY MARKETS

### MARKET REMAINS GENERALLY STEADY

Little change is quoted on the local market this morning. Prices of vegetables are about the same, and butter and eggs are the same as Saturday.

**Fruits**  
Gem Melons, crate ..... \$4.00  
Cherries, 10 lb box ..... \$1.75  
Peaches, 4 basket crates ..... \$1.00  
(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)  
Pineapples, per crate ..... \$2.75  
Lemons, 360 and 300 size ..... \$7.50  
Oranges, Valencia, per box ..... \$4.50  
Figs, Cal., box ..... \$3.00  
Cates, Hallowell, per lb. .... \$1.00  
Cabbage, crate ..... \$1.00  
Potatoes, bushel ..... \$1.05  
New Potatoes (bushel) ..... \$1.50  
Bananas, Jumbos ..... \$3.50 to \$2.00  
Onions, White Texas, crate ..... \$1.75  
Water melons ..... \$3.00  
Plums, crate ..... \$5.00

**Flour and Feed**  
(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)  
Patent, barrel ..... \$6.00  
Straight, barrel ..... \$5.80  
**Mill Feed**  
(Prices do not include sacks)  
Bran, per ton ..... \$21.00  
Shorts, per ton ..... \$21.00  
White middlings, per ton ..... \$25.00  
Red Dog, per ton ..... \$29.00

**Livestock**  
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)  
Hogs ..... \$7.50 to \$8.00  
Dressed hogs ..... \$12.75  
Steers ..... \$3.50 to \$5.00  
Cows ..... \$2.50 to \$4.00  
Heifers ..... \$2.00 to \$4.50  
Lamb ..... \$5.00 to \$6.00  
Sheep ..... \$3.50 to \$4.50

**Poultry**  
Chickens ..... 12 to 13c  
Turkeys, lb ..... 15c  
Ducks ..... 10c  
Geese ..... 8c

**Provisions**  
Lard, per lb ..... 16c  
Hams ..... 17c  
Shoulders ..... 14c  
Bacon ..... 19 to 21  
Dry Beef ..... 18 to 20c

**Grain**  
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)  
Wheat ..... \$5.00 to \$1.05  
Rye ..... \$6.00 to 65c  
Barley ..... \$5.00 to 60c  
Corn ..... \$5.00 to 58c  
Oats ..... \$4.00 to 42c

**Hay and Wood**  
(Quoted by City Scales)  
Hay, tame, per ton ..... \$11.00  
Hay, wild, per ton ..... \$9.50  
Wood, oak, per cord ..... \$5.25  
Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery butter, lb. .... 25 to 30c  
Dairy butter, lb. .... 25 to 28c  
Eggs, firsts, dozen ..... 15 to 18c  
Eggs, seconds, dozen ..... 15c

(Quoted by Ice Cream & Butter Co.)  
Full cream twins, new ..... 16c  
Full cream young Americas ..... 16c  
Full cream daisies ..... 16c  
Full cream brick ..... 16c  
Full cream limburger ..... 15c  
Full cream round Swiss ..... 23c  
Full cream block Swiss (5 and 6 to box, weighing 25 to 35 pounds) ..... 20c  
Creamery butter, per lb. .... 25c

**RETAIL MARKETS**  
(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)  
Dairy butter, lb. .... 25c to 30c  
Creamery butter, lb. .... 25c to 35c  
Eggs, strictly fresh ..... 22c  
Parsley, per bunch ..... 5c  
Cabbage, each ..... 8c to 10c  
Potatoes, bushel ..... 40c  
Carrots, per peck ..... 20c  
Green peppers, each ..... 5c  
Wax beans, lb. .... 12c  
Lettuce, 2 bunches for ..... 5c  
Fresh mushrooms ..... 75c  
Head lettuce ..... 10c to 12c  
New carrots, bunch ..... 3c  
New beets, bunch ..... 8c  
Tomatoes, pound ..... 12c  
New Turnips, bunch ..... 8c  
Spinach, peck ..... 30c  
Celery ..... 8c to 10c  
Shallots, bunch ..... 5c  
Green Onions, two bunches ..... 5c  
Pineapples ..... 20c  
Bermuda onions, pound ..... 8c  
Asparagus, bunch ..... 8c  
Pie plant, pound ..... 5c  
New potatoes, per peck ..... 50c  
Radishes, two bunches ..... 5c  
Cucumbers, each ..... 10c

## Comparative Markets

These quotations show the general trend of prices for the previous week

## LIVESTOCK SATURDAY

CHICAGO, July 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 700, steady. Beef, \$5.35 to \$5.50; Texans, \$4.25 to \$6.65; western, \$5.25 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.75 to \$5.75; cows and heifers, \$2.85 to \$6.90; calves, \$6.50 to \$8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; 10 cents higher. Light, \$9.10 to \$9.35; mixed, \$8.95 to \$9.37; heavy, \$8.50 to \$9.10; rough, \$8.50 to \$8.80; pigs, \$9.10 to \$9.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; steady. Natives, \$2.85 to \$4.65; western, \$2.80 to \$4.60; lambs, natives, \$4.75 to \$5; western, \$4.90 to \$7.90.

**LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO**  
CHICAGO, July 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; steady. Beef, \$6.35 to \$8.55; Texans, \$4.25 to \$6.80; western, \$4.50 to \$7.35; stockers and feeders, \$3.60 to \$5.75; cows and heifers, \$2.80 to \$7.00; calves, \$5.50 to \$8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; 5c lower than yesterday's close. Light, \$9.05 to \$9.30; mixed, \$8.90 to \$9.30; heavy, \$8.60 to \$9.15; rough, \$8.60 to \$8.80; pigs, \$9.10 to \$9.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; steady. Natives, \$2.75 to \$4.85; western, \$3.25 to \$4.85; lambs, natives, \$4.75 to \$8.40; western, \$5.25 to \$7.75.

Occasionally the man with an eagle eye proves to be a human vulture.

## FOREIGN MARKETS

**New York Stocks**  
NEW YORK, July 11.—The stock market continued to reflect persistent buying of stocks by strong interests in anticipation of favorable developments in regard to the railroad rate situation. Advances ranging from one to two points were recorded in the first few minutes after the opening today.

11 a. m.—After the show of early strength prices receded slightly. Government bonds unchanged; others firm.

Noon.—There was little change in market changes after the first hour, stocks generally holding steady at the recessions that were noted at the end of the first hour. Quotations were about a point over Saturday.

2 p. m.—The market became decidedly heavy in the afternoon, the reaction carrying prices down in some cases two points below the highest range in the morning.

The stock market closed dull.

**New York Money**  
NEW YORK, July 11.—Money on call, 2 1/2 per cent.

Time money, 5 to 5 1/2 per cent for six months.  
Bar silver: London, 25 1/2 pence; New York, 55 1/2 cents.  
Demand sterling, 485.60 bid.

**Kansas City Livestock**  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 11.—Cattle—Receipts 13,000, steady to 10 cents lower; native steers, \$4.75 to \$8.25; southern steers, \$4 to \$6.25; southern cows, \$2.50 to \$4.50; native cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$5.50; bulls, \$3 to \$4.75; calves, \$3.75 to \$8.25; western steers, \$4.50 to \$7.50; western cows, \$3 to \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts 7,000, 10 to 20 cents lower; bulk of sales, \$8.60 to \$8.85; heavy, \$8.55 to \$8.60; packers and butchers, \$8.60 to \$8.80; light, \$8.75 to \$8.95; pigs, \$8.50 to \$8.75.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000, 10 cents lower; natives, \$4 to \$4.80; lambs, \$7 to \$8, fed weathers and yearlings, \$4.25 to \$5.50; fed western ewes, \$3.75 to \$4.50.

**Chicago Livestock**  
CHICAGO, July 11.—Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; 15 to 20 cents higher; light, \$8.35 to \$9.15; mixed, \$8.70 to \$9.10; heavy, \$8.25 to \$8.90; rough, \$8.25 to \$8.50; pigs, \$8.85 to \$9.20.

Cattle—Receipts, 24,000; 10 to 15 cents higher; beefs, \$5.25 to \$8.40; Texans, \$4.15 to \$6.50; western, \$5.10 to \$7.10; stockers and feeders, \$3.60 to \$5.70; cows and heifers, \$2.75 to \$6.85; calves, \$6.75 to \$8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; steady; natives, \$2.75 to \$4.50; western, \$2.60 to \$4.40; lambs, natives, \$4.50 to \$7.50; western, \$4.60 to \$7.25.

**Chicago Produce**  
CHICAGO, July 11.—Butter—Extras, 27 1/2c; firsts, 25c; dairy extras, 26c; firsts, 24c.  
Eggs—Prime firsts, 17c; firsts, 15c.

Cheese—Twins, 15 to 15 1/2c; young Americas, 15 1/2 to 16c.  
Old potatoes—25 to 30c; new, 60 to 65c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14 to 14 1/2c; ducks, 13c; geese, 8 to 10c.

**Chicago Cash Grain**  
CHICAGO, July 11.—Cash wheat: No. 2 red, \$1.04 3/4 to \$1.06 1/4; No. 3 red, \$1.03 3/4 to \$1.05 1/4; No. 2 hard, \$1.04 to \$1.05 1/4; No. 3 spring, \$1.08 to \$1.15.

Corn—No. 2 white, 64 to 64 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 61 1/2 to 62; No. 3 5e to 59 1/2; No. 3 white, 62 to 62 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 60 1/2 to 60 3/4; No. 4, 57 1/2 to 58; No. 4 white, 57 1/2 to 60 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 57 1/2 to 59 1/2.

Oats—No. 3 white, 41 1/2 to 43; No. 4 white, 40 to 41 1/2; standard, 43 to 43 1/2.

**Grain Letter**  
CHICAGO, July 11.—There was an easier feeling in the wheat trade this morning. Board of Trade members found that the northwest had considerable rain yesterday morning and the may showed scattered showers over a portion of the spring wheat country again today. The rains both sides of the Canadian line since Saturday were sufficient to cause the Liverpool trade to weaken. That market was 1 1/8 pence lower and cables told of larger and cheaper Russian offerings. Dispatches claim that the rains will be beneficial in South Dakota and Minnesota but will do little good in North Dakota where the worst conditions exist. The trade here started with somewhat excited selling from \$1.03 3/8 to \$1.02. September from \$1.04 to \$1.03 1/2. December and 1.07 to \$1.06 5/8 May. Later September had little further dip to \$1.02 3/4, following a further selling movement from the opening break.

Fairly good rains and lower temperatures over the big corn states since Saturday greatly improved the crop outlook and caused a bearish feeling in the trade at the opening today. On first trades September was 61 1/2 cents to 62 1/4 cents and later weakened to 59 7/8 cents. December corn sold off to 57 7/8 cents and May to 59 7/8 cents, 1 1/4 cents under the close of the Saturday market.

Oats worked lower with other grains. There was general selling at the start. General rains have fallen over the belt over Sunday and showers are predicted for today and the crop shows considerable improvement. On the decline commission houses had resting orders to buy, which took the surplus offerings off the market and checked the downward trend of values. July oats opened at 41 cents and sold to 39 3/4 cents. September opened at 39 1/4 cents to 39 cents, sold to 38 7/8 cents, back to 39 cents.

Provisions had a weak undertone. Increased receipts of hogs and the heavy weight of the current arrivals were depressing influences.

## DEMOCRATS WILL LEAVE TONIGHT

Local Delegates to Attend Platform Convention at Milwaukee Tomorrow

The La Crosse county delegates to the democratic state convention to be held in Milwaukee tomorrow, will leave tonight and nearly all of those elected to attend at the county convention on Saturday, have signified their intention of leaving. Many questions will come up for consideration and the gathering promises to be a very interesting one.

Chairman Joseph E. Davies, Madison, of the state central committee will open the convention, introducing Michael K. Reilly of Fond du Lac as temporary chairman. Former Deputy Comptroller Joseph M. Crowley will be temporary secretary and Deputy Sheriff Michael J. Moore will be sergeant-at-arms.

The ordinary procedure of state conventions will be followed. A committee on credentials and a committee on resolutions will be appointed, and during the interval there will be the usual introduction of orators "for a few brief remarks."

The Democratic convention will have several problems to solve. Chairman Davies and his friends are strongly opposed, for instance, to the recommendation of candidates at this convention. Mr. Davies has been deeply concerned about the 20 per cent. law, and for months he has been sending out letters to party leaders, urging the special efforts be made to bring out a big vote at the September primaries.

The opponents of the policy of recommending candidates at the convention are of the opinion that unless there is a contest before the primaries there will not be enough votes cast to make up the required 20 per cent. and, therefore, the party will not be entitled to a place on the official ballot as a party. There is a strong element in the party however, inclined to the policy of nominating two candidates for each office, and it is argued that this will go further toward bringing out the vote than leaving the field open to all comers.

The convention likewise will have to consider county option, even though it does not take any decided stand on this disturbing question. Then the convention will take advanced ground on the tariff and the cost of living.

## TRAIN LEAVES TRACK

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 11.—Train No. 1 on the Queen and Crescent railroad was wrecked near Toomsaba, Miss., early today, the fireman and engineer being injured. Three cars left the track and the passengers were badly shaken.

Close—July wheat closed 1 1/2 lower, September 2c lower and December 1/4 lower. July corn 1/4 lower, September 1 1/4 lower and December 1 1/4 lower. July oats 1/4 lower and September and December 1/4 lower. Provisions a shade lower.

**WHEAT**  
July ..... 105 1/2 105 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2  
Sept. .... 103 1/2 103 1/2 101 101  
Dec. .... 103 1/2 104 103 103 1/2

**CORN**  
July ..... 58 1/2 58 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2  
Sept. .... 60 1/2 60 1/2 59 1/2 59 1/2  
Dec. .... 58 1/2 58 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2

**OATS**  
July ..... 41 41 40 1/2 40 1/2  
Sept. .... 39 1/2 39 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2  
Dec. .... 40 1/2 40 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2

**PORK**  
July ..... 2440 2440 2425 2425  
Sept. .... 2175 2175 2157 2157



## BASEBALL

## THE LATEST SPORTING GOSSIP

## PUGILIS

EAU CLAIRE WINS  
IN EIGHT ROUNDS

Game Called in that Inning  
to Allow Teams to Catch  
Train, with Score of  
Two to One

## VISITORS ARE OUTBATTED

But Three Bunched Hits in  
the Third Score the  
Two Runs which  
Win

Sir William Shakespeare Bootheby and his crew of booted players proved too strong a combination for the Outcasts yesterday afternoon and when the curtain was rung down on the little drama in the beginning of the eighth act, the score stood 2 to 1 favoring the aggregation from the north. In the beginning of this round umpire Arundel announced that the game was called an hour before train time to allow the teams to catch the evening train for the cities at the head of the lakes.

La Crosse put up a good exhibition of ball, outbidding the visitors but still they were unable to win. La Crosse presented a remodeled lineup, the change being made to fill up the hole left by Doll in the infield, Shorty having injured his ankle after Saturday's game. Anderson, the new man, played in right field and Eddie Klein covered short each of the men playing in faultless style.

One of the disagreeable features of the games during the past week has been the knocking of the fans. Not only the players have been the victims but the umpires also. No doubt some of the arbiters deserved the remarks handed to them by the fans but many of the people in the stands seem to be unable to discriminate between good and bad umpiring and just knock because someone else is doing it. The "Anvil Chorus" yesterday was of sufficient volume and variety to make even Caruso turn pale.

La Crosse scored on the jump. Connell skied one to right and Anderson grounded to the pitcher. Ward sizzled one to Bootheby which was so hot he could not handle it, stole second and scored when Safford hit to center. That was all the scoring that the Outcasts were to pull off in the contest. In the fourth round three men went to bat, each one made a hit but there were no runs. Safford died trying to steal but that's all in the game. Zalusky died trying to stretch a hit into a two bagger, and Klein was caught taking a nap at first by what was a pretty close break for balk by Bootheby who was later called by the umpire for pulling off a similar stunt.

Bunched singles in the third won for the Commissioners. Kick singled to left and Breyette polled with another in center and while Joe was picking up the ball each of the runners took an extra bag. Callahan sacrificed to Anderson in right and Kick scored on the throw in. Bailey singled in center scoring Breyette. The official box score:

Eau Claire	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kick, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Breyette, ss	4	1	2	1	4	0
Callahan, cf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Bailey, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Kading, 1b	2	0	0	8	1	0
Moore, 3b	3	0	1	2	2	0
DeHaven, 2b	3	0	0	4	2	0
Benrud, c	3	0	1	5	2	0
Bootheby, p	2	0	0	0	5	0

Totals	26	2	7	21	15	0
La Crosse	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Connell, 3b	2	0	1	1	1	0
Anderson, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Ward, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	0
Safford, cf	3	0	3	2	0	0
Zalusky, c	2	0	1	5	2	0
Klein, ss	2	0	2	1	1	0
Wais, 2b	3	0	1	2	2	0
Kuehn, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Barngrover, p	3	0	0	1	0	1

OUTCASTS DIVIDE  
SATURDAY GAMES

Eau Claire and La Crosse divided the double header Saturday, the visitors winning the first by the score of 5 to 0, and the home team taking the second by the score of 5 to 3. The first defeat was directly due to Nicholson's twirling, the Outcasts being able to get but three hits off his delivery.

## How the Runs Were Made.

Second inning—Bailey doubled to right, Kading sacrificed and Bailey scored on Moore's single to center. More stole second and scored when DeHaven singled to center. Score, Eau Claire 2, La Crosse 0.

Fourth inning—Moore was walked by Prater and scored on a triple to center by DeHaven. Score, Eau Claire 3, La Crosse 0.

Seventh inning—Kick poked up a high one which Zalusky let drop in the diamond, and Breyette was safe when Safford dropped his fly in cen-

## STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Eau Claire . . . . .	36	23	.610
Winona . . . . .	37	24	.607
Rochester . . . . .	30	27	.526
Superior . . . . .	31	28	.523
Wausau . . . . .	28	30	.483
La Crosse . . . . .	29	32	.475
Duluth . . . . .	23	36	.389
Red Wing . . . . .	23	37	.383

## GAMES YESTERDAY

Eau Claire, 2; La Crosse, 1 (8 innings.)
Winona, 6; Wausau, 5.
Rochester 5; Red Wing, 1.
Duluth, 3; Superior 1.

## GAMES SATURDAY

La Crosse 0-5; Eau Claire, 5-3.
Duluth, 2; Superior, 1.
Winona, 2; Wausau, 0.
Rochester-Red Wing rain.

## GAMES TODAY

La Crosse at Duluth.
Winona at Superior.
Rochester at Eau Claire.
Red Wing at Wausau.

## GAMES TOMORROW

La Crosse at Duluth.
Winona at Superior.
Rochester at Eau Claire.
Red Wing at Wausau.

## STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS

American Association	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minneapolis	56	31	.644
St. Paul	52	33	.612
Toledo	47	35	.573
Kansas City	39	41	.488
Columbus	37	42	.468
Milwaukee	35	45	.438
Indianapolis	34	50	.405
Louisville	29	52	.358

American League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	47	23	.671
New York	41	29	.586
Boston	40	30	.571
Detroit	41	33	.554
Cleveland	30	34	.469
Chicago	31	33	.449
Washington	28	44	.389
St. Louis	22	47	.319

National League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	43	26	.623
New York	42	26	.618
Pittsburgh	35	31	.530
Cincinnati	37	34	.521
Philadelphia	32	36	.471
Brooklyn	31	33	.449
St. Louis	31	30	.437
Boston	27	47	.365

Wisconsin-Illinois League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Appleton	39	23	.629
Rockford	38	24	.613
Fond du Lac	35	30	.538
Racine	31	33	.484
Oshkosh	24	37	.394
Green Bay	27	35	.435
Madison	27	36	.429
Aurora	26	37	.413

## GAMES YESTERDAY

American Association
Minneapolis 3-8; Milwaukee 0-1.
Kansas City 3-7; St. Paul 1-6.
Columbus 6; Indianapolis 1.
Toledo 9-0; Louisville 7-3.

American League
No games played.

National League
New York, 10; Chicago, 9.
Boston 5; St. Louis 2.
Brooklyn 2; Cincinnati 0.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Aurora 3; Rockford 2.
Fond du Lac 5; Oshkosh 2.
Appleton 3; Green Bay 2.
Racine 2; Madison 1.

## GAMES TODAY

American Association
Minneapolis in Milwaukee.
St. Paul in Kansas City.
Columbus in Indianapolis.
Toledo in Louisville.

American League
Chicago in New York.
St. Louis in Washington.
Detroit in Philadelphia.
Cleveland in Boston.

National League
Boston in St. Louis.
Brooklyn in Cincinnati.
New York in Chicago.
Philadelphia in Pittsburgh.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Fond du Lac in Oshkosh.
Madison in Green Bay.
Appleton in Racine.
Rockford in Aurora.

## GAMES SATURDAY

National League
Pittsburgh 7; Philadelphia 1.
Chicago 3; New York 7.
St. Louis 2; Boston 1.
Cincinnati 4; Brooklyn 3 (fourteen innings.)

American League
New York, 2-3; Chicago, 5-2 (second game eleven innings.)
Washington 6-3; St. Louis 9-2.
Philadelphia 5; Detroit 0.
Boston 5; Cleveland 4.

Washington 6-3; St. Louis 9-2.  
Philadelphia 5; Detroit 0.  
Boston 5; Cleveland 4.

ter. Calahan sacrificed the runner ahead and both scored when Baile doubled to left. Score, Eau Claire

5, La Crosse 0. The official	bo
score:	
Eau Claire—	AB. R. H. PO. A. E.
Kick, rf	5 1 1 2 0
Breyette, ss	5 1 1 1 0

GIANTS WIN WITH  
FOUR PITCHERS

Seven Twirlers Used by  
Both Teams; at End of  
Nine Weird Rounds  
Score Is 10 to 9

CHICAGO, July 11.—Between them the Giants and Cubs used seven pitchers and at the end of the nine weird innings the Giants fell exhausted in front of the grandstand on the long end of 10 to 9 score. After New York had scored three in the second innings the Cubs came back with seven. The Giants tied it in the fourth and in their half of the ninth got three more. The Cubs scored two in their half, not quite enough to reach. Score: R. H. E. New York .030400003—10 11 2 Chicago .070000002—9 8 2 Batteries: Drucke, Ames, Raymond, Crandall, Myers and Schlei; Kroh, Cole, Brown and Kling.

Brooklyn 2 Cincinnati 0 CINCINNATI, July 11.—The second defeat of George Franklin Suggs on the home grounds this season came when Pitcher Rucker of Brooklyn showed his skill with the Reds and trimmed them, 2 to 0. Score: R. H. E. Cincinnati .000000000—0 4 0 Brooklyn .001001000—2 11 0 Batteries: Suggs, Gasper and McLean; Bergen and Rucker.

Boston 5, St. Louis ST. LOUIS, July 11.—The first of the double-header scheduled was called off on account of a heavy rain in the early morning. St. Louis lost the afternoon game to Boston, 5 to 2. Corridon, who replaced Lush, was pounded for three hits which sent a trio of runs over. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis .000000011—2 5 1 Boston .110000003—5 15 3 Batteries: Willis, Bachman, Lush, Corridon and Bresnahan; Mattern and Graham.

Callahan, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Bailey, lf	5	1	2	4	0	0
Kading, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Moore, 3b	3	2	2	1	3	0
DeHaven, 2b	3	0	3	0	2	0
Benrud, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Nicholson, p	3	0	0	0	3	0

Totals	33	5	10	27	9	0
La Crosse	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Connell, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Kuehn, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Ward, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Doll, ss	4	0	1	2	2	0
Safford, cf	4	0	1	0	1	1
Zalusky, c	3	0	0	8	2	1
Klein, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wais, 2b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Prater, p	3	0	1	1	5	0

Totals	30	0	3	27	11	2
Score by innings:						
Eau Claire	0	2	0	1	0	0
La Crosse	0	2	0	1	0	0

Three base hit—Callahan. Two base hit—Bailey 2, DeHaven, Moore. Sacrifice hits—Kading, Callahan 2, Nicholson. Stolen bases—Connell, Moore, Prater, Klein. Double play—Prater to Connell. Struck out—By Nicholson, 7 by Prater, 8. Bases on balls—Off Nicholson, 2; off Prater, 3. Left on bases—La Crosse 4, Eau Claire 8. Time of game—2:00. Umpire—Arundel.

Second inning—Safford walked to first and scored when Zalusky dropped a double into right field. Klein hit to second base, the ball going between DeHaven's legs, allowing Zalusky to count. Score, Eau Claire 0, La Crosse 2.

Fourth inning—Breyette singled to first and Callahan sacrificed him to second. Bailey advanced him on an infield out and he scored when Kading poled one to center field.

Safford doubled in left field and scored on Zalusky's single in center, Callahan failing to stop the ball, allowing the local backstop to go to third. Klein grounded out to Breyette, allowing Zalusky to score in the throw to first. Score, Eau Claire 1, La Crosse 4.

Eighth inning—Breyette doubled to right and Callahan followed with a two bagger in center. Both scored when Doll erred on Kading's slam, throwing the ball high to Ward.

Ward doubled in left field, went to third on a sacrifice fly by Doll in right and scored on Safford's bounder past Breyette. Score, Eau Claire 3, La Crosse 5. The official box score:

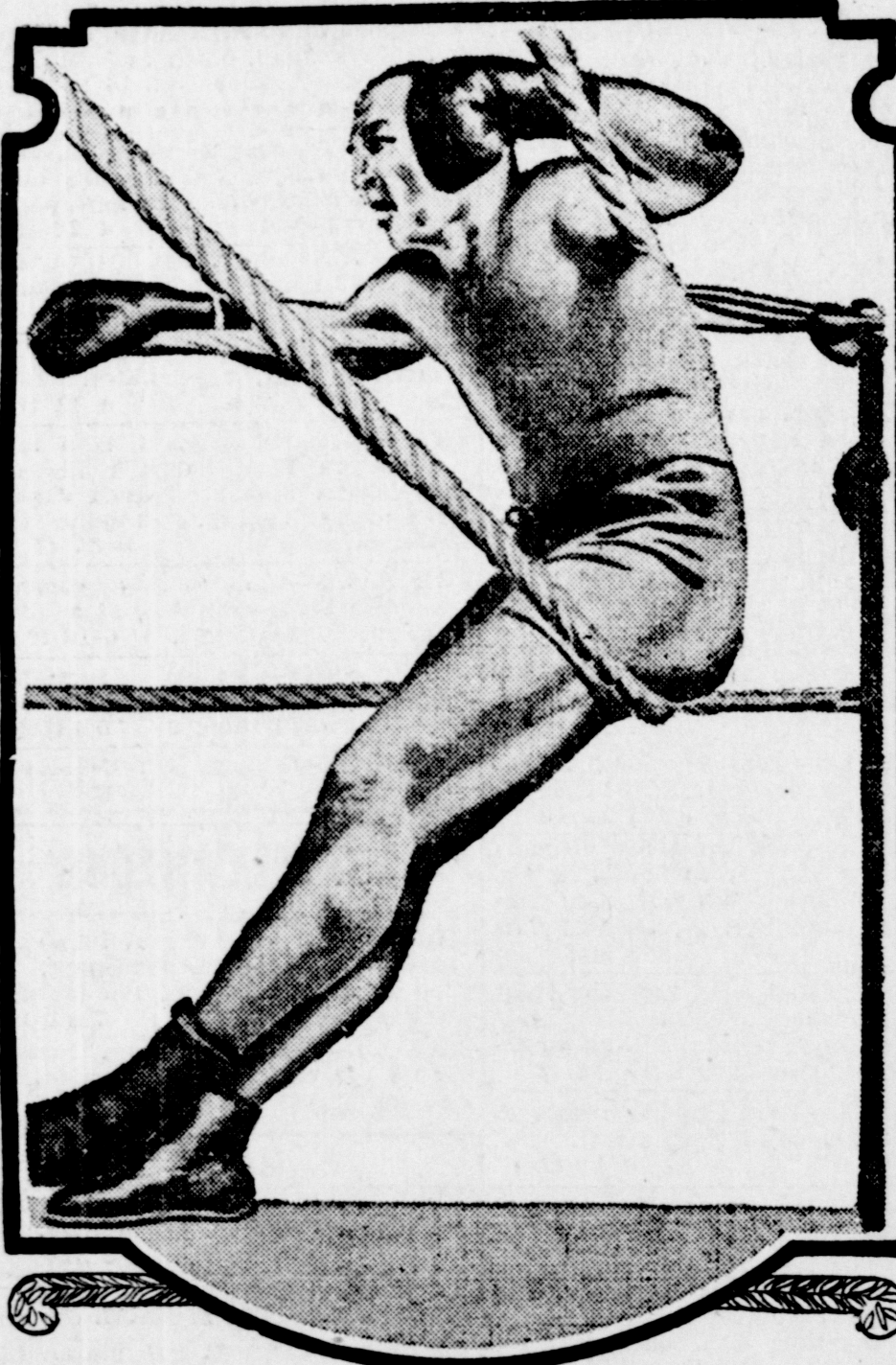
Eau Claire	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Kick, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Breyette, ss	4	2	3	0	3	0
Callahan, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Bailey, lf	4	0	2	4	0	0
Kading, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Moore, 3b	4	0	1	0	3	0
Dehaven, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Benrud, c	2	0	1	7	0	0
Nicholson, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Klingebiel, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
* Schoonhoven	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals	34	3	9	24	13	1
La Crosse	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Connell, 3b	4	0	0	3	2	0
Kuehn, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ward, 1b	4	1	1	12	0	0
Doll, ss	4	0	0	2	3	1
Safford, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Zalusky, c	4	2	2	6	0	0
Klein, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wais, 2b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Whittaker, p	2	0	0	0	4	0

Totals .. . . .	30	5	52	26	13
*Batted for Klingebiel in ninth.					
zKading out, batted out of order					
Score by innings:					

Eau Claire .....	000100020—
La Crosse .....	02020001x—
Two base hit—Zalusky, Safford	
Breyette 2, Callahan, Ward. Sacri	

## ALMOST OVER



Jeffries hanging on the ropes the first time Johnson knocked him off his feet. Jeffries shows the agony such a blow caused, but after this he again got to his feet and tried to fight, only to be again knocked over and out.

bases—Safford, Kading. Struck out—By Whittaker 5, by Nicholson 4, by Klingebiel 0. Bases on balls—Off Nicholson 2, off Whittaker 2, off Klingebiel 1. Hits—Off Nicholson 3 in 5 innings. Left on bases—Eau Claire 9, La Crosse 4. Time of game—1:55. Umpire—Arundel.

CUBS BATTLE FOR  
THE TOP POSITION

CHICAGO, July 11.—A battle for first place in the National league is slated for this afternoon, when the Chicago Cubs and the New York

Giants meet for the third game of their series. The Cubs are now holding first place in the percentage column by the narrow margin of half a game, and the Giants are out with the big stick to take a lead of the same size for themselves by winning this afternoon's game.

The Giants have won both games played here in the present series. The Cubs have won 43 games and lost 26. The Giants have won 42 and lost 26 games.

England's total exports and imports for the past four years are valued at \$21,875,000,000.

HARVARD ATHLETE  
TO FIGHT NEGRO

Earl Long, Strong Man, would Like a Go with Johnson; Is a Perfect Athlete